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UNITED NATIONS, Sept 26, (Agencies): The White House said today that American warships will no longer form convoys to protect US-flagged tankers in the Gulf, but will use instead a zone system to guard the ves-

White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said the Gulf states, including Kuwait, were consulted last week through military and diplomatic chan-

Fitzwater said President Reagan made the decision today before he left Washington to address the UN General Assem-

Fitzwater said it will take several days to begin the new policy and that the dates for its start probably will not be

MANAMA, Bahrain, Sept 26,

(UPI): Iran said it executed an

Iraqi citizen today, after he was

found guilty of espionage and

terrorist activities, in the first

ceasefire in the Gulf, which has been in effect since Aug 20, and consulting with allies and friends in the region, the President decided to modify our present method for providing protection for US-flagged shipping in the Gulf," Fitzwater said.

"The modification entails a change from a tight escort procedure to an "accompany regime," he added. "In an accompany regime, US forces will be positioned such that they can take appropriate action if US-flagged ships are directly threatened," he said.

"In making these adjustments, we would reiterate that the United States intends to maintain in the Gulf the forces required to protect US-flagged shipping and our national objectives," Fitzwater said. He said,

commitment to freedom of navigation in the Gulf."

Fitzwater said there have been no attacks on US-flagged shipping since the Aug 20 ceasefire in

the Iran-Iraq war.
"This is the first step in the change of our presence in the Gulf," Fitzwater said. "We will continue to review our presence in the Gulf and make changes as the threat diminishes."

Fitzwater said 180 ships have been escorted through the Gulf waters since July 1987.

Defence Department spokes-man Maj. David Super said last night he had no information on the convoy situation. COULOR

The 14-month programme involved a precise Navy formation to protect reflagged tankers that had been re-registered under the US flag against potential Iranian attack.

Officials said last week that if the plan is finalised, US warships would keep US-flagged tankers within a "defensive zone" that would place the ships under constant surveillance.

The plan would allow a slight reduction in the number of US ships in the Gulf, perhaps by one, the Defence Department officials said, speaking on condition they not be identified.

The United States has 26 ships in its joint task force Middle East, including 17 inside the Gulf itself. As of Sept 16, the Navy had conducted 85 convoy operations since summer 1987, when escorts

began.
The Washington Post reported today that Kuwait had asked US officials to consult it at each stage because peace negotiations between Iran and Iraq were deadlocked and hostilities could



Amir urges Kuwaiti students to keep up traditions, customs

NEW YORK, Sept 26, (KUNA): HH the Amir of Kuwait, Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmed Al Sabah yesterday urged Kuwaitis studying in US univer-sities to try to gain further education in different fields to serve Kuwait and the Araband Islamic

Supply

At a luncheon HH held for the students, the Amir urged them to stick to Kuwait's traditions and customs they inherited from their fathers and grandfathers and to represent their country

The Amir also expressed deep concern over the students' needs during their academic years.

In a brief speech to the Kuwaiti students, the Amir said that their allegiance should be to the state and Islam, and not to individuals. He also said that a person should make sacrifices for his country

However, HH the Amir affirmed the country's keenness to cater to the students and supply

them with their needs. The banquet was attended by Kuwaiti students in New York

Amir meets Reagan

NEW YORK, Sept 26, (KUNA): HH the Amir of Kuwait Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmed oday paid a visit to US President Reagan at his residence here. The visit came in response to an invitation by President Reagan, where both leaders discussed issues of mutual concern, it was

The students expressed satisfaction after meeting with the Amir, and pledged to exert further efforts to raise high the banner of Kuwait.

The luncheon also was attended by Kuwaiti Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed, Kuwaiti Ambassador to the United States Sheik! Saud Nasser and members (f Kuwait's UN mission.

Meanwhile, the first mosque even to be built in New York was the subject of a six-column story in yesterday's influential New York Times newspaper. The Times highlighted the fact

that the Amir of Kuwait himself was expected to lay the foundation stone of the minaret at a

an ill-tempered match. Nine

players were cautioned and two

from each side given temporary suspensions. The dismissed

quartet were: Graham Reid and

Jay Stacy of Australia and

Innacio Escude and goalkeeper

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without a goalkeeper for the last

two and a half minutes following

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Earlier, Stacy scored Aus-

West Germany recorded their

17th successive triumph over the

Soviet Union. It was also by the

Hockey rules were broken

Santiago Grau of Spain.

Sri Lankan minister shot dead

COLOMBO, Sept 26, (Reuter): A suspected Marxist rebel shot dead a Sri Lankan cabinet minister today, police said

Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Minister Lionel Jayatilake was killed when a gunman opened fire at his car in Kuliyapitiya, 60 km (40 miles) north of Colombo, they said.

Police say they suspect the unman was a member of the People's Liberation Front which has been blamed for more than 400 killings in the past year.

The 64-year-old minister's bodyguard and driver were also injured in the attack which came as they were on their way to attend a meeting in a Buddhist temple, police said.

The front, most of whose members are from the Sinhalese majority, is opposed to an India-Sri Lanka pact signed in July last year aimed at ending a separatist revolt by minority Tamils. Security

Most of the front's victims have been members of the security forces or politicians who favour the accord.

Police also blamed the front for six other killings in southern Sri Lanka today. The Marxist group sees the

peace accord as a sell-out to Tamil rebels fighting for a separate homeland in northern and eastern Sri Lanka. It is also opposed to the pre-

sence of more than 50,000 Indian troops sent to the island to enforce the accord.

Third suspect surrenders to police

LONDON, Sept 26, (Reuter): Two Belgians charged with abducting a rich Kuwaiti businessman in Britain were ordered held without bail today, and a third suspect surrendered in Belgium, British police said.

Eddy Doucet, 31, and Danielle Peuemans, 41, were remanded in custody until a further hearing on Oct 3 during their appearance in a magistrate's court in Northampton, central England. There

was no application for bail. A third suspect, Belgian jeweller Willy Schroyens, gave himself up last night to Belgium

Doucet and Peuemans are

charged with kidnapping Walleed Al Humaidhi, 38, from his home in Brixworth, also in central England, last Monday.

London on Thursday. Police said a one million pound sterling (\$1.67 million) ransom which had been demanded was not

He was freed from a house in

Hockey giants Pakistan and India knocked out of Olympics

nament in which Pakistan and

India have failed — they finished

11th and 12th in the 1986 World

Cup.
Brigadier Manzoor Atif, the

former Pakistan captain and

manager, said: "The main reason for the failure of India and Pakis-

tan is their lack of artificial pit-

ches. Netherlands have 100 times

Pakistan, playing with only four forwards, were beaten by

two penalty corner goals by

Floris Bovelander. He became

joint top scorer in the tour-

nament with Australia's Mark

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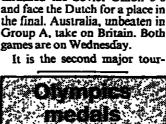
more artificial surfaces."

Hager on seven goals.

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): Hockey giants Pakistan and India were forced aside in the battle for semifinal places in the Olympic men's tournament today - the first time no Asian side has reached the last four since India entered the competition in 1928.

Holders Pakistan and eight times champions India both failed to force the draw they needed in their final group matches. Pakistan crashed 2-0 against the Netherlands in Group A and India lost 3-0 to

Britain in Group B. West Germany, 1984 Los Angeles Games silver medallists, thrashed the Soviet Union 6-0 and face the Dutch for a place in the final. Australia, unbeaten in Group A. take on Britain, Both



table

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): Medals table after the 10th day of the Olympics (tabulate under gold, silver, bronze):

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Portugal Surinam Turkey Switzerland Brazil Costa Rica Chile Senegal Spain Belgium Greece

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Australia, top seeds and World Cup holders, managed only a 1-0 victory over Spain in 14 killed in Karachi

ter sunk India.

violence KARACHI, Sept 26, (AP): Police exchanged gunfire today with residents of an overcrowded slum in eastern Karachi where three days of violence have left 14 people dead, hospital officials

Two people were killed today, and a police spokesman said three soldiers have been missing since early this morning. The Army was called in to defuse the tense situation.

A search of the area has been launched for the missing soldiers who were believed to have been kidnapped, although no one claimed responsibility, police

A curfew was imposed on the area in an effort to put a lid on the violence that police and residents said erupted over a dispute last Friday between a handful of youths and a store owner.

"It all started when some boys refused to pay for the milk they drank at a milk shop

Johnson fails

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): Olympic 100 metres champion Ben Johnson of Canada has failed a dope test, an official of the International Olympic Com-mittee's (IOC) medical commission told Reuters today.

The medical commission met

late today to consider the case and will recommend to the IOC executive board that Johnson be disqualified and stripped of his gold medal.

177,000 confined to homes in Gaza and West Bank

OCCUPIED JERUSALEM, Sept 26, (Agencies): Israeli forces attempting to disperse demon-strators shot and killed one Palestinian and wounded at least 17 others today during a general strike in solidarity with detained Arabs, hospital and Palestinian sources said.

The Army clamped curfews on at least 11 towns and UN-run refugee camps in the Israelioccupied West Bank and Gaza Strip, confining more than 177,000 Palestinians to their

Palestinians blocked roads, threw stones and bottles and clashed with Israeli forces during violence in the occupied territories and outlying neighbourhoods of Jerusalem, authorities and Palestinian sources

In Jabal Mukaber, an Arab village partially within Jerusalem's city limits, stonethrowing Palestinians clashed with Israeli forces, a police spokesman said. Authorities fired rubber bullets and tear gas to disperse the crowd, the spokesman said. Jamal Matar Shuair, 23, was

shot in the head during the Jabal Mukaber clashes and died before reaching Mokassed Hospital in Arab East Jerusalem, hospital and Palestinian sources said. The police spokesman said he was investigating the death. It was not clear whether Shuair

was shot within the portion of Mukaber inside Jerusalem's city limits. If Shuair was shot within Jerusalem's city limits, it would be the first time since the uprising began on Dec 9 that a Palestinian was killed during clashes within the municipal boundaries.
In the village of Mazraat Al

Sharqiya, thousands of residents turned out in a mass display of mourning for the funeral of Mohamed Ainad Mustafa Shalabi, a 43-year-old Palestin-(Continued on Page 2)

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spying for the Iraqi government. The agency said the man was executed in the western Iranian city of Bakhtaran.

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Reagan tells in a farewell address to UN

Treaty curbing ICBM is more than a possibility

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Turning to negotiations on

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it. The use of chemical weapons

in the Iran-Iraq war — beyond its

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Concerned

that signed the Geneva protocol

outlawing such weapons and

other concerned countries to

"convene a conference to con-

sider actions that we can take

together to reverse the serious

Reagan also said recent brief-ings he has received on his "Star

Wars" system for space-based missile defence "indicate that

progress toward such systems

may be even more rapid and less

The President urged nations

UNITED NATIONS, Sept 26, (AP): President Reagan, in a farewell address to the United Nations, said today it is "more than a possibility" that a treaty curbing Intercontinental Ballis-tic Missiles (ICBM) can be sig-

ned with the Soviet Union within the next year. In a speech at the opening session of the General Assembly, Reagan also called for an inter-

national conference to stop the use of poison gas and other chemical weapons. The President reviewed what he said has been progress toward peace in his eight-year administration, but added that "history teaches us caution" and that "even in this time of hope, the

chance of failure is real." He called upon Iran and Iraq to co-operate in implementing the UN resolution on their eightyear-old war, saying: "Let this war end now ... let peace come."

Withdrawal In Afghanistan, he said, "we encourage the Soviet Union to complete its troop withdrawal at the earliest possible date so that the Afghan people can freely determine their future without further outside interference."

He called on the Soviet Union to "assist in bringing the conflict in Central America to a close by

BEIRUT, Sept 26, (AP): Army commander Gen. Michel Aoun

failed today to win Arab recogni-

tion for his fledgling Christian military cabinet in a struggle for

power with a rival Syrian-backed Muslim government.

. None of three Arab envoys

who attended a meeting at the

Presidential Palace called by

Aoun apparently made any com-

mitment to his Christian group-

ing, while other Arab envoys

nment led by Salim Hoss, step-ped up its verbal barrage against

Aoun's four-day-old, three-man

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Aoun fails to win Arab recognition

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cantons carved out during the 13-year-old civil war. President Amin Gemayel, a Maronite Catholic like Aoun, appointed him prime minister in a six-man interim military cabinet on Thursday, five minutes before his 6-year term ended at midnight after Parliament had

failed to elect a new President. But Hoss, a Sunni Muslim who was acting prime minister under Gemayel, insisted that his boycotted the session.
At the same time, Syria, which supports the rival Muslim goverfive-man cabinet, all that was left of a fractured national government under Gemayel, was the

legitimate authority. Three Muslim Army officers Gemayel named to serve in Aoun's government refused to serve. But the General insisted his cabinet had legally inherited Gemayel's powers and con-

tition into Christian and Muslim stituted Lebanon's legitimate government. Military sources said Gen.

Aoun fired Colonel Simon Kassis, chief of military intelligence, Lieutenant Colonel Georges Shehwan, security commander of the intelligence branch, and Colonel Louis Kassis, commander of the Presidential Guard. The sources said the replacements — Maronites Amer Shehab, Fouad Al Ashkar

costly than we had at first

Noting that this would be his

last address to the United

Nations before he leaves office in

January, the President said that

"if future generations do say of

us that, in our time, peace came closer, that we did bring about new seasons of truth and justice,

It was Reagan's seventh

appearance before the United

Nations. He has addressed the

opening session of the General

Assembly each year since 1983

and spoke at a special UN session

it will be cause for pride.

on disarmament in 1982.

thought."

close to Aoun. The only envoys to respond to Aoun's call for a meeting were Iraqi Charge d'Affaires Sabbar Al Hadithi, Tunisian Charge d'Affaires Mohammed Ali Ben Abdallah, and the head of the Egyptian interests section, Has-

san Shash.

and Francois Zein — were very

An aide said Aoun asked them to "inform your governments that the cabinet appointed by President Amin Gemayel before his term ended is the legitimate executive body in Lebanon." Refused

The representatives of Algeria, Libya and South Yemen, who are based in Muslim West Beirut, refused to attend the meeting, an action interpreted in some circles as reflecting their country's disapproval of Aoun's cabinet.

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National Front crashes in French local polls

PARIS, Sept 26, (Reuter): The far-right National Front Party of Jean-Marie le Pen, which won more than 14 per cent of French votes in April, crashed to less than five per cent of the poll in local elections held yesterday.

Official results showed that the anti-immigrant party polled 4.9 per cent of the vote in district council elections, just over half its score in the equivalent 1985 poll, reflecting a dramatic decline in popularity.

Some 2,000 seats on France's district councils are at stake in the two-round election. Run-offs wili be held next Sunday.

Le Pen said his supporters had stayed away from the polls in protest at the party's cold-shouldering by mainstream rightist groups and he ordered a boycott for the second round.

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Carolina, Sept 26, (Agencies): Supporters of both George Bush "National Front voters stayed and Michael Dukakis claimed at home. In view of the ostracism victory today after the two canof the front which has been didates met in a televised ordered, I advise them to stay presidential election debate full away from the polls next week of stinging punches but no unless their support is expressly knockout blows. Such confrontations have

sometimes proved crucial in swaying undecided voters. But Le Pen shocked the establishment by polling more than 14 per last night's debate, the first of cent of votes in the first round of two scheduled before the Nov 8 the presidential election in April, which returned Socialist Franelection, seemed unlikely to shift cois Mitterrand for a second voters in large number to either candidate. even-year term. He lost his parliamentary seat, however, in "There wasn't a definitive vic-

WINSTON-SALEM,

Democratic strategist Brian Lunde said. Political experts initially rated the match

After TV election debate

North

Edge American voters were evenly split on which candidate won, according to a Newsweek poll carried out by Gallup. Forty-two percent of those polled said Dukakis did a better job while 41 per cent thought Bush outscored his

An Associated Press panel of six veteran debate judges gave Dukakis a narrow edge over Bush. Three judges thought Dukakis won and three picked Bush, but Dukakis got the most

points overall. A poll by the ABC broadcasting network of 639 debate-watchers taken immediately after the debate found that 44 per cent rated Dukakis the winner, 36 per cent gave the edge to Bush and 20

per cent said it was a tie. The debate may have attracted as many as 100 million television viewers. An early ABC news poll of the reactions of 600 viewers gave Dukakis a 44 to 36 per cent edge over Bush.

During the 90-minute exchange, the two contenders seemed to relish attacking each

Endorsing

Democrat Dukakis repeatedly rebuked Vice-President Bush for his role in the Iran-Contra scandal, while the Republican candidate lashed out at the Massachusetts Governor as a far-out liberal out of step with the rest of

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Khorafi — Chairman, Khorafi Business Machines; Mr Josef De Georgi — General Manager, Khorafi Business Machines; Mr Mustafa Rugibani — Regional Manager, IBM Middle East; Mr Abdulla Al Mekrad — Manager of the Computer and Information Center at the Savings and

The new IBM 4381 System in operation at the Savings and Credit Bank.

"The Vice-President has a long resume (of public service),

but that didn't stop him from endorsing the sale of arms to the (Iranian) Avatollah." Dukakis declared as he repeatedly sought to focus his fire on the Iran-Con-

tra scandal, the biggest crisis of

the Reagan administration. Bush, unrattled, maintained his attack on Dukakis' liberal record as Governor of Massachusetts and tax rises that helped to balance the state's budget.

"He is out there, out of the mainstream." Bush charged. 'My argument with the governor is, do we want this country to go that far left?"

President Reagan congratulated Bush, telling the man who has served in his shadow for nearly eight years: "You did a great job."

Challenges

Susan Estrich, campaign manager for Dukakis, told reporters: "The debate made clear that Michael Dukakis is clearly the candidate who understands the challenges facing America. Geroge Bush was just playing label games. He offered people nothing."

Her Republican counterpart, Lee Atwater, said Dukakis proved once and for all that he is a ... double-dipping liberal on one issue after another."

Neither man, in the heat of battle, stumbled into a major gaffe of the sort aides had feared. Dukakis went on the offensive

early — sometimes ignoring the thrust of questions from a panel of three journalsits — to raise the secret sale of arms to Iran in 1985-86 and US dealings with Panama's military leader Manuel Antonio Noriega, indicted in the United States on drug char-

"Values begin at the top, in the White House," Dukakis said.
"Here we are with a government that's been dealing with a drugrunning Panamanian dictator. Dealt

Bush claimed that seven US administrations had dealt with Noriega — an assertion that would span 30 years to the Eisenhower era when Noriega was barely 20 - and that the Reagan administration had "brought him to justice" with the drug

indictments last year. Bush, a former CIA director, denied he saw any evidence of Noriega's alleged involvement in the Colombian cocaine trade before the indictments.

Dukakis tried to overcome his own lack of foreign policy experience by noting that his rival's had not kept the United States from covertly selling arms to Iran in hopes of gaining the release of US hostages in Lebanon.

"You cannot make concessions to terrorists ever, ever, because if you do, it's an open invitation to other terrorists," Dukakis said as Bush shook his head grimly.

Bush tried to ignore the barbs, but eventually acknowledged that the arms sales had been "a

In a bid to salvage some points with voters, the Vice-President turned to his rival and said: "I'll make a deal with you" on Iran-Contra and Noriega.
"I'll take all the blame for

those two incidents if you'll give me half the credit for all the grand things that have happened on world peace since Ronald Reagan took over from the Car-ter administration (in 1981)."

Turning to the space-based "Star Wars" missile defence system now under development, Bush said he favoured it and would deploy it if it proved viable but Dukakis said he doubted it was feasible and would only back limited research.

On national defence, Bush said Dukakis' support for a nuclear freeze in the 1970s would have worked to the advantage of the communist bloc, while Dukakis accused the Bush-Reagan team of cutting into the "fiber and the muscle" of conventional forces.

"Nobody is suggesting that we unilaterally disarm, somehow reduce our strength. Of course not," said Dukakis.

Neither committed a serious mistake or landed a knockout "It was a good night," Duk-

akis said after the 90-minute, nationally televised encounter yesterday at Wake Forest University. Separately, Bush said the debate had given him a chance "to spell out some of the

177,000 confined to homes in West Bank and Gaza

last Thursday. Palestinians said Shalabi, who they said strongly supported the uprising, was shot by Jewish set-

Palestinian sources said at least seven Palestinians were shot and wounded today in clashes with soldiers in the occupied West Bank. Another eight Palestinians were shot and wounded in scattered violence in Gaza city in the coastal Gaza Strip, the sour-

An Army spokeswoman said the military was investigating the reports, and an initial inquiry showed that at least two Palestinians were wounded in the Gaza Strip town of Rafah. No details were available on their injuries, she said. But state-run Israel Radio reported the two were wounded by plastic bullets, which the military has said are less lethal than live ammunition when used according to regula-

Palestinians observed a gen-eral strike in the occupied territories in solidarity with Arab prisoners held in the sprawling Ketziot Detention Centre in the Negev desert. Most of those at Ketziot are held under administration detention during which they can remain imprisoned for up to six months without charge

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tlers, but police said the investigation was not completed.

ces said.

Nagorno-Karabakh, a government spokesman said children had gone back to school today but industry remained paralysed

Incident

over Nagorno-Karabakh erupted after an Armenian was killed and 49 people injured in gun and knife clashes in the Azerbaijani territory.

The Sept 18 incident in a village near Stepanakert was followed by mass demonstrations in Yerevan, where Armenians are supporting Nagorno-Karabakh's demand to secede from Azerbaijani rule and become part of

The Novosti spokesman said

Aoun fails ···

(Continued from Page 1) The envoys who attended the meeting were non-committal on the issue of recognition.

We expressed to Gen. Aoun our hope that the Lebanese would agree on the election of a new President to unite the country and avert the evil of parti-tion," Shash said.

Hadithi said Baghdad supports "the election of a new President and supports Lebanon's unity.

Abdallah said Aoun gave "us an explanation of the current

situation. We will relay it to officials in Tunis."

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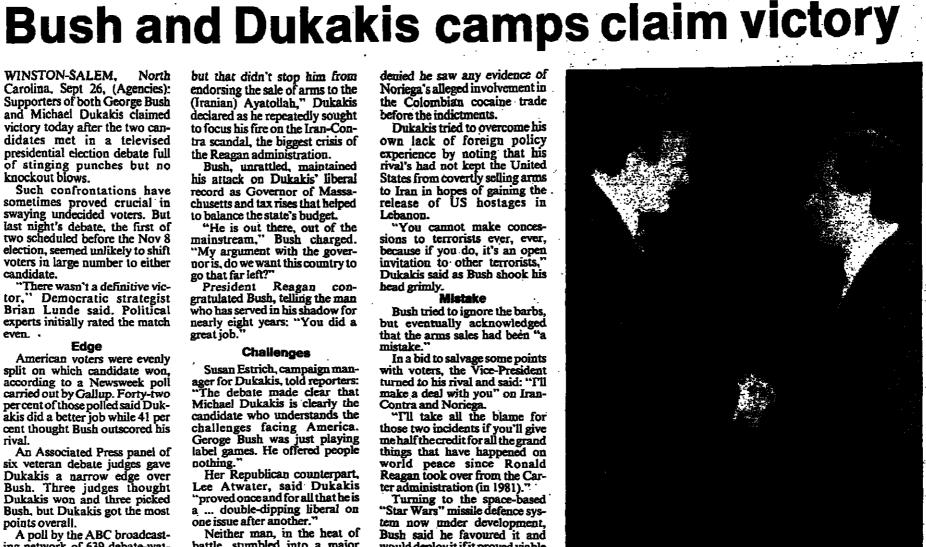
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Bush (left) and Dukakis shake hands before the start of their debate. (Reuter wirephoto)

on Yerevan's Opera Square on

Saturday and Sunday evenings,

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ation of Nagorno-Karabakhand

an emergency session of the

Armenian Supreme Soviet

The assembly voted in favour

of annexation last June, but one

month later the Kremlin ruled

out any change in the status of

Nagorno-Karabakh, where the

ethnic Armenian majority

population has been ruled since

Tensions - - - H

continued to grew in the moun-

tainous enclave, the Kremlin

clamped an overnight curfew on

Nagorno-Karabakh and

day that the curfew was being

observed in Stepanakert and

lawlessness had declined, al-

though some residents had been

It said 695 firearms had been

turned in to the authorities

voluntarily and nearly 10 seized

during searches conducted by

Interior Ministry and Army

In Armenia, the radio said,

calls were continuing for more

information on the situation in

Nagorno-Karabakh. It quoted

one Communist Party official as

warning that rumours spreading

due to a dearth of news could

found with petrol bombs.

troops sent to the region.

Moscow Radio said on Sun-

declared a state of emergency.

Last Wednesday, as tensions

1923 by Azerbaijani.

(parliament).

Soldiers pulling out of Armenian capital

MOSCOW, Sept 26, (Reuter): Most of the Soviet soldiers deployed in the Armenian capital of Yerevan last week after a new ethnic flareup were pulled out over the weekend, a spokesman for the official Novosti

Press Agency said today.

Armoured vehicles posted around government buildings during demonstrations over the disputed Nagorno-Karabakh region had been pulled out on Saturday, the spokesman told Reuters

The situation is better today," he said by telephone from Yerevan. "Transport is working and some enterprises are back at work. It's a more or less normal working atmos-

In Stepanakert, the capital of

The latest round of tension

69 bodies found

spark new disorders.

NEW DELHI, Sept 26, (AP): Authorities found 69 bodies inside a bus that was pulled from a canal today in the northern state of Punjab, United News of India reported.

The news agency said the vic-tims included 14 children, 13 women and 42 men.

Eighteen passengers, includ-ing three children, were pulled from the canal shortly after yesterday's accident and taken to

The bus, carrying people from the village of Bamala to New Delhi, plunged into the canal-while attempting to pass a truck.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Polish premier

WARSAW, Sept 26, (Reuter): Poland's Communist Party leaders named Politburo member Mieczyslaw Rakowski today as their candidate for prime mini-

The party's policy-making central committee ordered its parliamentary deputies to support Rakowski's candidacy in a vote tomorrow, the official news agency PAP said.

Mafia ambush

CALTANISSETTA, Sept 26, (Reuter): A Sicilian judge and his son were shot dead when their car was ambushed late last night in what police called a classic mafia killing. Antonino Saetta, 66, president

of the Palermo Court of Appeal, and his son Stefano, 35, were hit in the head and stomach, police

The killers fired at least 20

Envoy dies

VIENNA - Sept 26, (AP); Ambassador Haluk Oezguel, head of the Turkish delegation to the Helsinki follow-up Con-ference on Security and Cooperation in Europe (CSCE), suddenly died on Friday of a heart attack, a Turkish embassy

spokesman reported today. Tuerkekul Kurttekin, the first secretary at the embassy, said Oezguel, 58, took over as delega-tion chief in February 1987.

Countdown begins

CAPE CANAVERAL, Florida, Sept 26, (UPI): At long last, the shuttle Discovery's countdown to launch began today, setting the stage for blastoff Thursday on the first American manned space flight since Challenger took off on its final voyage 32 months ago this week.

Running eight hours behind schedule, NASA test director Terry Willingham issued the traditional "call to stations" at the Kennedy Space Centre shor-tly before the countdown began at 8 am, formally kicking off a carefully orchestrated 74-hour procedure timed to end with blastoff at 9:59 am Thursday.

Bid for Nobel

OSLO, Sept 26; (Reuter): The United Nations peacekeeping forces have a good chance of winning this year's Nobel Peace prace Norwegian state television NRK said the peacekeeping

forces were probably among the six top candidates for the peace prize, but added there seemed to be no clear favourites.

Policeman killed

LIMA, Peru, Sept 26, (AP): Maoist guerrillas shot and killed a policeman in Lima and executed two public school teachers in a jungle village, police said yesterday.

Two gunmen shot a patrolman in the head and neck on Saturday as he was buying cigarettes from a streetside vendor, police said.

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TOKYO. Sept 26, (Reuter): Stars of sumo wrestling joined well-wishers outside Tokyo's amperial palace today to pay rescts to ailing Emperor Hirohito, their revered patron and a life-long fan.

About 20 of the huge, pot-bellied wrestlers, in traditional dress and carrying paper umbrellas, caused a stir among the thousands standing in the rain waiting for news of the 87year-old emperor.

"Wow, Konishiki is big." said one middle-aged Japanese woman with a gasp as the huge Hawaiian who fights under that name lumbered past.

Others giggled and rushed to take photographs of the star who weighs around 248 kg (545 pounds) and is a top exponent of the ancient ritual combat followed with religious fervour by millions of Japanese.

Though very weak, the emperor has called for a television by his sickbed so he can watch his favourites, dressed in heavy tasselled loin cloths, as they try to push and pull each other out of the small circle in which they fight. He felt well enough on Sunday

to watch 90 minutes of the final round of a tournament, palace officials said.

"Of course I respect the emperor, otherwise I would not be here," said Konishiki after he signed his name in Japanese characters.

Foreigners too mingled with the crowd, aware that they could be bystanders at the death of the world's longest reigning monarch and the end of a tumultuous

era for Japan. "It is nice to be mixed up with a piece of history," said Steve Wannell, a tourist from Sydney.

"I never knew the Japanese loved their emperor so much," said Tove Kluver, a Danish resident in Tokyo, as she watched the slow-moving line of well-wishers.

The Japanese fought World War Two in the emperor's name and it was only after Japan surrendered that the emperor was forced to renounce his divi-



Sumo wrestlers in formal Japanese kimono leave the Imperial Palace after signing their names in registers in hope for recovery of gravely ill Emperor Hirohito. (Reuter wirephoto)

\$50m cargo illegally sent to Lebanese gunmen

NICOSIA, Sept 26, (AP): Cargoes worth \$50 million from at least 30 ships has been diverted illegally to Lebanon in the last 18 months, investigators for the International Maritime Bureau

The problem has largely been curbed in recent months because of co-operation from the Lebanese Forces, Lebanon's most powerful Christian militia, they said in a new report.

But they expect the numbers to climb as they track the vessels that have unloaded their holds in Lebanon instead of to their rightful owners.

Sometimes skippers claim their ships were sunk off Lebanon by missiles of undetermined origin. Sometimes they just disappear after illegally selling their cargoes.

The investigators said one ship, the Sea Cloud, loaded with dried chick peas radioed its owners in May 1986 that it was sinking off Cyprus in the Eastern Mediterranean. The ship then reappeared

Lima. Earlier this year it was sailing under another name, the Tourbo.

No trace

The cargo could not be traced. said Jayant Abhyankar, deputy director of the London-based IMB and author of the new report by its Eastern Mediterranean investigation team.

But he said by telephone that he suspects they were taken off at Ras Salaata, a small inlet just south of Tripoli in Syrian-controlled north Lebanon.

The port is run by the Syrian-backed Christian Marada, or giants, militia led by former President Suleiman Franjieh, one of Syria's closest allies in Lebanon.

The theft of cargoes "must be done with the knowledge of the forces who control the area," said P.K. Mukandan, another investigator with the IMB, a subsidiary of the International Chamber of Com-Ras Salaata is just a row of sandbags dumped into the sea where at most two or three ships can tie up, he said. Barges unload the cargo and it is either resold on the domestic market or offered for sale outside Lebanon.

Most of the ships go to Ras Salaata. But some have gone to other militia ports, such as Jieh in territory controlled by the Druze militia south of Beirut.

Lebanon's coast is dotted with illegal ports run by militias who carry on a lucrative trade in everything from weapons to drugs to food.

The Lebanese government, paralysed by 13 years of civil war, is powerless to stop the rackets. Shipowners and crewmen get about 40 per cent of the take, and then often change the ship's

name and start over, investigators said. Just to discharge the cargo in Lebanon and come away with 40 per cent of the value is not bad," said IMB director Eric Ellen.

"You have still got your ship and you can go look for more busi-

Despite referendum defeat

Ozal to stay in power

ANKARA, Sept 26, (Reuter): Turkish Prime Minister Turgut Ozal said today his ruling Motherland Party would stay in power despite defeat in a cons-

titutional referendum. Ozal, who last week said he might quit politics if he did not win enough "yes" votes in the plebiscite, indicated firmly that he would not step down.

'We will be in power for four more years. The result is quite satisfactory for us," the pro-Western conservative said on state television.

"Against ANAP (the Motherland Party) none of the other parties has been able to become an alternative to us, not even in the worst conditions for us.'

Nearly two-thirds of those voting in Sunday's referendum opposed the amendment that would have brought forward local elections to November from next March.

The provisional figure of 35.1 per cent voting "yes" to change compared with the 36.3 per cent vote from the 26.6 million electorate which gave Ozal victory in last November's general elec-

"The support given to Ozal is not sufficient. He is a man who can't be trusted ... the nation said "no" but he insisted on staying," Erdal Inonu, head of the opposition Social Democrat Populist Party, told reporters after the

Opposition parties portrayed the referendum as a confidence vote in Ozal, whose free-wheeling economic policies have pushed up inflation to 78 per

"What was rejected by the nation is the government ... (and) Prime Minister Ozal himself." said Suleyman Demirel, a fourtime premier who heads the centre-right True Path Party (TPP).

"If you look for a winner in this (referendum), it is the nation itself. There are new conditions in Turkey now. No one can claim that nothing has happened," he

Motherland officials said Ozal's repeated threats to resign last week had boosted the "yes" vote, which public opinion polls two weeks ago showed was running at around 26 per cent.

Ozal has promoted wider democracy within NATO-member Turkey and closer ties with the West since taking office in 1983 after three years of Army rule crushed extremist political

"(Referendum) voters have shown their preference for stability." Oktav Eksi, a political columnist with the mass-circulation daily Hurriyet, said on tele-

Taha Akvol, of the conservative daily Tercuman, said: The political picture seems to be strongly settled. Despite the inflation problem, stabilisation in Motherland votes shows its foundations are settled.

Ozal is viewed widely as the only person who can cement factions in the broad-based Motherland Party, embracing politicians from the religious

right to Western-style liberals. Polling was smooth but at some polling stations arguments broke out when up to a third of residents at one school found they had not been registered for the referendum.

Even former Prime Minister Bulent Ecevit was turned away because he was not at home for an Aug 30 electoral census.

Few scuffles occurred, but an election official went missing after a Kurdish guerrilla machinegun attack in Bingol that killed two gendarme guards.

Voting patterns showed that Ozal enjoyed a 40 per cent "yes" vote in Istanbul, Turkey's biggest and richest city, but was highly unpopular in the Kurdish, traditional southeast of Turkey and in other poor areas.

One of Ozal's most powerful campaign themes was the idea that if he did resign there might be a return to the bloody extremist fights of the 1970 that crippled Turkey.

I changed my mind. It is true we are victims of inflation, but I voted "yes" for continued stability. Ozal should also finished what he started," said one Ankara housewife.

16 killed in rebel attack on Kabul

MOSCOW, Sept 26, (Reuter): An Afghan rebel missile attack on the capital Kabul killed 16 people and wounded 27 today. the Soviet news agency Tass

reported. Tass said the rebels also shelled the town of Pulialam in Afghanistan's Logar province, south of Kabul, killing five peo-

ple and injuring six.

Tass said 11 building were demolished in the attack on Kabul, the latest in a series of rebel missile strikes at the

Afghan capital. It linked the rebel shelling with alleged Pakistan aid to the Muslim guerrillas, who have stepped up their activities over the past month since the Soviet Union completed the withdrawal of half of its 115,000

troop force from Afghanistan. Regular Pakistani breaches of the Geneva accords have turned into open interference in the internal affiars of a neighbouring sovereign state -- the Republic of Afghanistan, Tass declared.

The accords, signed in April by Pakistan and Afghanistan, set a time frame for the Soviet withdrawal and bound signatories to refrain from interference in each others' affairs.

The Soviet Union and Afghanistan have repeatedly accused Pakistan of violating the Geneva agreements by training rebel group on Pakistan territory and infiltrating arms and men into

Earthquake Asian cities

NEW DELHI, Sept 26, (UPI): Authorities in Moscow and New Delhi reported today a powerful earthquake rocked the Hindu Kush mountains and Soviet south Central Asia, and a strong but separate tremor shook Tokyo. There were no immediate report of casualties from either

rocks

A seismological station in New Delhi said a powerful earth-quake rocked the Pakistani-Afghan border in the Hindu Kush mountains, rattling doors and windows in nearby northern

quake, officials said.

The seismological observatory said the quake, whose epicentre was recorded 590 miles (950 km) northwest of New Delhi, measured 7.0 on the Richter scale but caused no damage or casual-

The tremor was preceded by two shocks that measured 4.9 and 5.8, respectively, on the Richter scale of magnitude, a spokesman for the Indian observatory said. The Press Trust of India news

digarh, the joint capital of Punjab and Haryana states, 155 miles (250 km) northwest of New Delhi, were jolted out of their Reports from Moscow.

agency said residents in Chan-

however, indicated material damage was more severe in Soviet South Central Asia.

The Tass news agency said the quake ripped the town of Khorog in the Soviet Republic of Tadjikistan, collapsing some buildings and factories, but apparently causing no casualties. The town lies some 50 miles (80 km) north of the Hindu Kush

Ruling party renamed

Burmese prepare for polls details of the opposition's move, suppressing widespread dissent

BANGKOK, Sept 26, (Reuter): The long-ruling Burma Socialist Programme Party changed its name today ahead of general elections and opposition sources said leading pro-democracy campaigners would field candidates. Official Radio Rangoon said

the BSPP, which ruled Burma for a quarter century of increasing poverty and political repression, had become the National Unity Party.

Rangoon-based Western diplomats have said the followers of BSPP founder Ne Win would try to regain their dominant role in Burma by winning elections promised soon by the country's new military rulers.

The BSPP was purportedly overthrown by a military coup on Sept 18, but diplomats say the Army's action was only a way of and keeping power in the hands of the old guard.

ces close to them said.

Leading dissident figures General Tin Oo, Aung San Suu Kyi and Brigadier Aung Gyi have reversed their opposition to the polls and will contest them, sour-

Registration

A close associate of former Defence Minister Tin Oo said their National United Front for Democracy would soon register with the military government's election commission and would field candidates for all 472 parliamentary seats.

"They are now preparing to follow the rules and regulations of the commission," he said in a telephone interview.

The source declined to give

saying he believed his telephone was being tapped. The opposition rejected a compromise election offer made by

the BSPP a week before its overthrow, saying the party was incapable of running honest Last week, the three opposi-

tion figures decided to reject Army-backed elections also. Aung San Suu Kyi, 43-year-old daughter of independence hero Aung Gyi, at that time dismissed the idea of elections being held while people were being shot.

The military government has said over 200 "destructive elements" have beeen killed since it took over. Dissidents, doctors and diplomats put the figure at closer to 1,000 and say most of the dead were unarmed prodemocracy demonstrators.

230 die as floods sweep Indian states low-lying areas of the capital to CHANDIGARH, Sept 26,

(Reuter): Floods sweeping north India have killed more than 230 people in four days and marooned over 200,000, government officials said today. Governor Siddharta Shankar

Ray of Punjab state, the worst hit, told reporters he had ordered a full-scale emergency response to help keep marooned people alive until they could be rescued. He said he had drafted in Army motor boats to help in the rescue work and helicopters to

whom had spent three days clinging to tree-tops.

Three of Punjab's five main rivers, swollen to double their normal volume, have overflowed. A 60-km stretch of road between Jullunder and Ludhiana two of the state's major cities, was under at least two

drop supplies to people, some of

metres of water. The floods also hit neighbour-ing Himachal Pradesh and Haryana states. Delhi auth-orities have warned people in

move out as the Yamuna River rose to danger level.

Ray said it was too early to assess crop damage in Punjab, India's granary, which was looking forward to bumper crops after an excellent monsoon ended three years of drought.

The floods caught authorities by surprise after it appeared the monsoon was virtually over. They said the flooding could get worse as incessant rain in Punjab and Himachal Pradesh was unlikely to end for at least a day. An earlier wave of floods in

July and August killed several

hundred people, mostly in Uttar

Pradesh and Bihar states in the north and Assam in the north-The hardest-hit area is the town of Jalandhar, where an estimated 50,000 have been

marconed. "Our first priority is to evacuate the marooned and to give them food and shelter," the governor told reporters.

Bid to set up Jewish settlement foiled

OCCUPIED JERUSALEM, they tried to establish a set-Sept 26, (UPI): Soldiers evicted tlement, an Army spokeswoman 10 families who defied warnings from Defence Minister Yitzhak Rabin and tried to establish a new Israeli settlement in the occupied West Bank on the eve of

the Jewish festival of Sukkoth. Jewish settlers had said they would try to establish new settlements in the Israeli-occupied territories during the week-long holiday, also known as the fes-

tival of tabernacles. Rabin warned the settlers against trying to set up residencies several hours before soldiers dispersed the families peacefully, state-run Israel Radio reported.

"If there is such a tendency and attempts are made to do something illegal not in accordance with the government decisions, they will be evacuated," Rabin said in an interview broadcast on the official radio station after the Israeli cabinet's weekly meeting. Hours after Rabin's warning. Israeli soldiers dispersed the Jewish families from the plateau of

tlement, an Army spokeswoman said. No trouble was reported.

The 10 families then went to a sukkah - a hut built of branches and leaves where Jews eat their meals and sometimes sleep during the holiday — near Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir's house in Jerusalem, the radio station reported. They vowed to remain in the structure until they were given permission to settle at Deir El Kuruntul.

Permission

Jews build sukkahs during the harvest festival as a reminder of the temporary shelters used during their wanderings in the wilderness. Nearly 60,000 Israeli settlers live in the occupied territories.

The United States and other countries have criticised Israel for its practice of establishing settlements in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, saying they are an impediment to peace in the Mid-

Deir El Kuruntul near Jericho as

Aquino defends military

MANILA, Sept 26, (AP): President Corazon Aquino called today for speedy prosecution of those charged with corruption and human right abuses but said it was unfair to blame the entire military for the

civil rights violations.
"Your present mission is clear, to give the most and the best of in the Maldives, where the main yourselves to the speedy admin-istration of justice to our people," Mrs Aquino told about 400 Department of Justice employees, while making her call. The speech was given at an occasion marking the 90th

> Public impatience is growing with the slow pace of justice in the Philippines, she said. But Mrs Aquino also warned against "sham trials" reminis-cent of those which took place under former President Ferdinand Marcos, who was ousted in the February 1986 civilian-

military uprising that propelled

anniversary of the department.

her to power. Mrs Aquino's late husband, Senator Benigno Aquino Jr., was sentenced to death by a military court in 1977. The sentence was never carried out, and he was allowed to return from the United States three years later to challenge Marcos. But he was assassinated as he stepped off the plane in the Philippines on Aug



Aquino: defence

Forty defendants, most of them soldiers, are on trial in the killing.

spapers have been filled with allegations of widespread unquestioned.

Social activist groups also have complained of continuing human rights abuses by the military in its counter-insurgency operations against communist rebels.

corruption in the administration, although Mrs Aquino's personal integrity remains

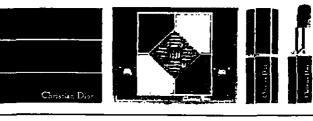
The government's Commission on Human Rights says 2,016 have been referred to the courts. But social activist groups also claim right-wing 'death squads," believed to include police and soldiers, have carried out systematic assassinations of leftists and labour leaders under

Meanwhile, a military vehicle hit a rebel landmine, killing 10 soldiers and a civilian and wounding nine others in one of the worst insurgency-related incidents this year, authorities said today.

headquarters in Lucena city, 90 km south of Manila, struck the landmine in the nearby farming village of Ilayang Malinao. Platoon leader Capt. Rogelio Salvador, nine other soldiers and a civilian hitchhiker were killed

have died in fighting during the six-month period ending in June, the military said.





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COLOMBO, Sept 26, (Reuter):

Oayoom.

Maumoon Abdul Qayoom bas been re-elected for a third term as President of the Maldives in an election in which he was the sole candidate, the Maldivian High Commission in Colombo said

Qayoom, 51, got 96.37 percent of votes in Friday's poll in the

Indian Ocean archipelago. His

inauguration will take place on Nov 11, the commission said in a statement. Qayoom first became President of the chain of 1,196 corai islands, only about 200 of which are inhabited, when he won the 1978 election with 92.9

Qayoom re-elected

second term in 1983 with 96.9 per The commission's statement said the Muslim nation of 200,000 had made great econ-

omic and social progress under

An official said Qayoom had given prominence to raising the living standards of those not just in the capital, Male, but also on outlying islands. There are no political parties

industries are fishing, tourism and shipping.
In foreign policy, Qayoom has followed a non-aligned path and has forged close links with Arab

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cases of alleged abuses have been filed since 1986, but only 218 the Aquino administration.

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in the blast that tore the vehicle apart and scattered debris 20 yards, Galido said. Eight other soldiers and another civilian were wounded, he said.
It was one of the worst losses

the 25,000 guerrillas of the communist New People's Army inflicted on the government this year. More than 2,000 people

Number of Kuwaitis up 12 per cent in 3 years

A FIELD study conducted by the Ministry of Planning covering 11,875 families in Kuwait indicated that the Kuwaiti population rose by 82,400 compared to 55,000 for expatriates from April 19, '85 to March 19,

The study further indicated that the Kuwaiti population in March this year amounted to 763.700 — an increase of 12.1 per cent from April 1985 when the last general census was carried out. The expatriate population during the same period was 1.071.000 — an increase of 5.5 per cent over 1985. Manpower

Expatriate manpower in Kuwait increased by just over 2,700 over the past three years to

KUWAIT'S private sector will

be able to take advantage of

opportunities which will be

available during the forthcoming

boom as a result of the end of the

Iran-Iraq war, according to Dr

THE Kuwait Fund for Arab

(KFAED) is ready to help fin-

ance rebuilding Iraq after eight

years of war with Iran, Fund Director Badr Mishari Al

Humaidhi said in remarks publi-

He told a local newspaper:

"The Kuwait fund is ready to

examine participation in the reconstruction of what the war

has destroyed in Iraq, within its capacities and within the

framework of co-ordination

The fund was studying a

proposed KD10 million (\$35

million) loan to Iraq for a giant

Humaidhi said that between

agricultural project, he said.

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shed yesterday.

Kuwait Fund ready

to help rebuild Iraq

Development

reach 546,600 in March this year. This number constitutes over 78 per cent of the total workforce in the country.

The study based on 11.875 Kuwaiti and expatriate families shows that Kuwaitis now account for 41.62 per cent of Kuwait's total population of 1,835,000 in 1985, it was 40.14 per cent, the study added. increase

There was also a noticeable increase in the number of expatriates working in the social and domestic services. In 1985, 43.44 per cent of the expatriate manpower performed social and domestic services. In March this year, the figure rose to 47.3 per

In 1975, there were 211,000

managing director of Kuwait

light of recent political develop-

this year the fund extended 15

loans totalling KD55 million

(\$190 million), concentrating on

By the end of December, the

Kuwait has backed Iraq with

fund's total commitment will

stand at between 75-85 million

billions of dollars aid since the

war broke out in 1980 in addition

to oil revenue from fields it shares

In the early sixties the fund

Discussing the fund's loans to

extended numerous loans to

other countries, he said, in the

coming year, KFAED will focus

on poor countries with a special

emphasis on the Arab and

dinars, he said.

with Saudi Arabia.

Iraq, the director said.

agriculture and infrastructure.

The official clarified that in the

Industrial Investment Co.

Peace will be profitable

for firms, director says

expatriates working in Kuwait. That figure rose to 380,000 by

1980 and to 544,000 in 1985. The study also found that the percentage of the total Kuwaiti and expatriate workforce dropped from 39.5 per cent of the total population in 1985 to 38.1 per cent in March of this year.

Based on the study, it is estimated that by June 1990 there will be about 835,000 Kuwaitis compared to 1,116,000 expatriates. Thus Kuwait's expected total population will be 1,951,000.

By that time there will be more than 176,000 Kuwaitis in the country's workforce, and 548,600 expatriates working in the country, according to estimates in the report.

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Competition

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factories which were shelved due

Ali said the protracted war.

impeded re-export activities.

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face severe competition from

Saudi merchants who acquired

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of their storage potential coupled with cheaper import costs, he

Reconstruction

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Ali said that this sector will fin-

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local banks to play a significant role towards financing of the

However, he expressed doubts

Discussing the banking sector.

The flight of capital attributed

to the war can now be activated.

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added.

Kuwait may build huge sports city

HH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah yesterday tentatively agreed to establish a sports city in Kuwait

All sports facilities and installations will meet international Olympic standards, according to Minister of Social Affairs and Labour Sheikh Nasser Mohammed.

Sheikh Nasser met with Sheikh Saad yesterday.

Sheikh Saad asked the minister to prepare requirements and specifications for the project in co-operation with other concerned ministries and parties.

The city is expected to include football ground, athletic facilities, a multipurpose closed

Olympic ball, a closed swimming pool to be used year-round, and other sports installations, Sheikh Nasser said.

Affirmed

The minister affirmed that the sports city, when completed, will be one of our country's prominent landmarks.

It will provide Kuwaiti vouths with all modern sports facilities to train them in accordance with international Olympic levels and practise various constructive games, Sheikh Nasser went on.

The minister thanked Sheikh Saad on behalf of youth for this initiative that falls in line with Sheikh Saad's usual concern for his sons under HH the Amir's guidance.

Kuwait Airways denies increase in fares

COLOMBO, Sept 26, (KUNA): Kuwait Airways has denied that air fares between Colombo and Kuwait were increased in mid-

September. An official at the Kuwait Air-An official at the Kuwait Airways offices in Colombo said the allegation by the Lankan Association of Licenced Foreign Employment Agencies (AL-FEA) that the air fares between the two countries were increased by 4 per cent since Sept 15 was

The official said both Kuwait Airways and Air Lanka have decided to adhere to the published air fares and Business Turnover Tax (BTT).

not correct.

Both airlines earlier granted a certain percentage of discount on the published fares, the official

The official told KUNA, they decided to adhere to the publi-

DUBAI, Sept 26, (KUNA): The

second conference of experts and

marine pollution

shed air fares because of the heavy demand for seats to the Middle East by the Lankan labour sector.

Meanwhile, airline sources in Colombo warned that the planned 10-day freeze on Gulf departures by the Association of Licenced Foreign Employment Agencies could backfire.

"We have a waiting list of passengers booked by unlicenced foreign employment agencies and naturally they will get the seats (if the ALFEA effects the freeze as planned,") said the

The ALFEA last week decided to impose a 10-day freeze on Gulf labour departures to protest the increase in air fares between Colombo and Middle East destinations.

A spokesman for the ALFEA told KUNA, the 10-day freeze would start on Oct 10.

try and the Kuwait-based

Experts meet to discuss The sources said ADOC clam-

Regional Organisation for Protection of Marine Environofficials in charge of combatting marine pollution began here ment (ROPME). Sources at the meetings told today. The conference is spon-KUNA that the two-day consored by the UAE Health Minisference attended by representatives from all Arabian Gulf littoral states will focus on ways of fighting population caused by dumping of chemicals in the Gulf

> The meetings are also expected to review different hazards these materials cause.

The meetings are being attended by Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates Oman, Bahrain, Qatar, Iraq and Iran. Reports on methods by each country to reduce the pollution causing incidents are also to be discussed, in addition to the capabilities and scientific expertise available. According to the sources, the

conference will also explore coordinating a joint conception among the Gulf countries of chemical pollution in the Gulf.

Training courses in combatting pollution will also be prepared at the meetings. The courses will begin early next year.

Mumtaz post service now includes Algeria

munications has announced the extension of Mumtaz Post Service from Oct 1, 1988 to include the People's Democratic Fears mount as four mines found in Gulf

DEGRIFT IN THE GULF, Sept 26, (AP): Four mines found in the northern Gulf in recent days have raised fears among US naval officers that the onset of rough winter weather could rip more from their moorings to endanger shipping.
The officers said today that

Several species of parrots.

MANAMA, Sept 26, (AP). Corrosion has holed an oil

pipeline off the United Arab

Emirates and forced the com-

plete suspension of 15,000-barrel

per day production from an off-

shore oilfield, oil industry executives reported today.
The sources, who could only be identified as Japanese, said production at the central Mubarraz oilfield, 25 kilometres

(14 miles) west of Abu Dhabi,

was suspended on Aug 23, when

the first of six holes was dis-

Emergency

The oilfield is operated by Abu

Dhabi Oil Company-Japan,

ADOC, a joint venture between

the state's national oil company

and the Japan Oil Development

Pipeline leak stops

oil production

three of the mines found were drifting on the surface after they broke loose from their seabed

"As winter approaches, the waters in the northern Gulf get a lot rougher, and that's when the anchored mines are more likely to break away. They're also har-der to spot," said one officer, asking that he not be identified

"We're very concerned that the situation is going to get worse in the immediate future."

The new mines alarm arose as this 3,600-ton missile frigate arrived off Kuwait, escorting what US military sources said could be the next-to-last convoy of US-flagged tankers to be protected by American war-

ships.
The White House announced Reagan had decided to end the "tight escort" of vessels, opting for "accompanying" them with war-ships posted along the way to provide any assistance needed.

A Kuwaiti cargo vessel repor-

ted a similar discovery on Friday near tiny Hout Island, 40 miles (64 kilometres) northwest of the Taylor sighting US officers quoted the Kilwains as saying

ped a state of emergency and was trying to combat pollution from

the first hole, some 15 kilometres (9 miles) of Mubarraz Island.

That crack alone has already leaked an estimated 15,000

hole, a test for pressure was con-ducted on the line by the German

company, D. Schlumberger, which discovered five other

cracks in the 36-kilometres (22

surprise to ADOC technicians

who had expected the pipeline to

last much longer, the sources

said. The pipeline is covered with

a thick layer of concrete, the

The sources expected resump-

tion of production at a reduced

level sometime this week after a

series of pressure tests.

The corrosion damage was a

miles) 18-inch pipeline.

sources said.

After the discovery of the first

they had "sprik" that mine. gang Condi**betago I**ns of Eur-The officers said that a US minesweeper's sonar located a mine on Aug 19 on the seabed in a "mine danger area" near Iranowned Farsi Island, where

properly," one officer said.

A day earlier, the Vandegrift was patrolling near two secret was patrolling near two secret US Navy barges in the same area when bridge lookouts spotted a mine bobbing 100 yards (metres) off the port side.

The frigate's captain, Cmdr. Eric Utegaard, of Alexandria, Virginia, said the mine was entangled in fishing buoy lines.

The mine had "failed to deploy

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and English, typing & telex. Pis contact Mr. Adnor 2417816 & 2417826, petween 8.30 cm to 12.30 noon & 4.30 to 8.00 pm.

importing of parrots banned

KUWAITS public has been warned not to bring with them or import parrots into Kuwait. according to an official at the Public Authority for Agricul-tural Affairs and Fish Resources.

Dr Sultan Al Sultan, the head of the Animal Health Department, said that parrots transfer many dangerous and infectious diseases, some of which are con-

tagious.

Most of the species, especially
the Indian Parrakeet, the Casco, both American and African, are among the most dangerous species, he said. According to the ministerial decision of 1985, imports of birds

from countries prone to contagious diseases are banned. Consequently, importing parrots from all African countries is banned, he added. Al Sultan said that these

parrots pose a danger to chicken farms and may cause New Castle

Recently, the health department of the Authority found a number of parrots infected with the disease were being sold in the Murqab area, he added.

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New registration system for health centres

THE new health registration system will go into effect at the health centres of Failaka Island, Mansonwyall, Daeyall and Das-man of Monday, according to the Ministry of Public Health.

Authorities have called on citizens and expatriates to take their civil identity cards to the centres during their first visit to facilitate receiving the new health card. All old health files will eventually be cancelled, the



Mrs. Alice Peris Died on 12.9.88

Funeral service will be at 3.30. pm today of the H. Family Relatives & friends treat this as the only intimation.

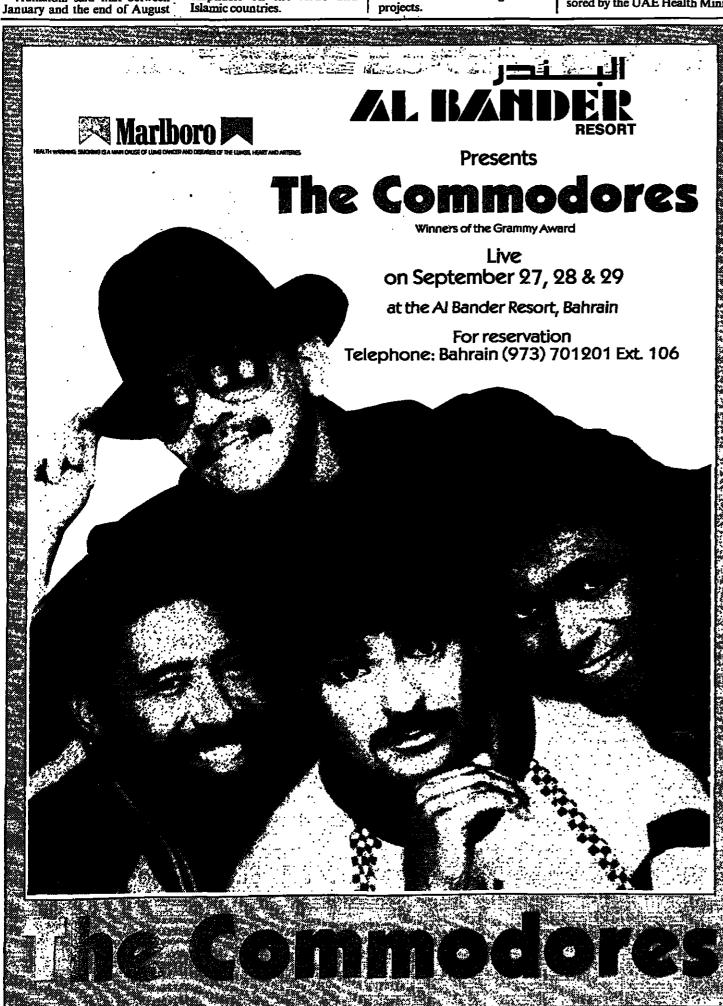
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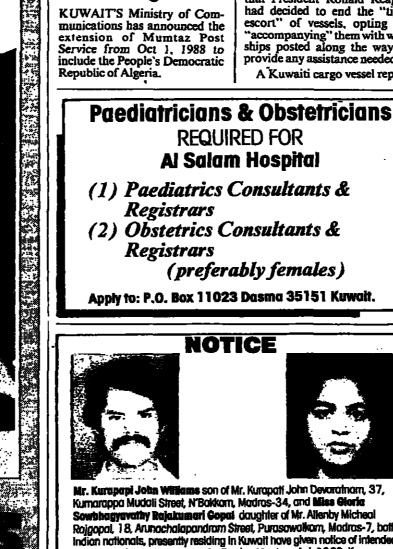
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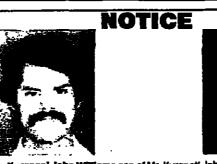


Applicants should visit KREMENCO local

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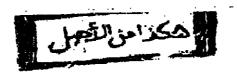




Mr. Kurapapi John Williams son of Mr. Kurapati John Devoratnom, 37, Kurnarappa Mudali Street, N'Bakkorn, Madras-34, and Miss Gloria Sowbhagyavathy Rajakumari Gopal daughter of Mr. Allenby Micheal Rojgopal, 18, Arunachalapandram Street, Purasawalkam, Madras-7, both Indian nationals, presently residing in Kuwait have given notice of intended marriage between them under the Foreign Marriage Act, 1969. If anyone has any objection to the proposed marriage he/she should file the same with the undersigned according to the procedure laid down under the Act/ Rules within thirty days from the date of publication of this notice.

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EVENTS

NATIA to hold dance festival

A glimpse of classical arts

By Fathima Ahmed

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VARIOUS Indian dance forms both classical and folk will be introduced to the Kuwait andiesee at a two-day dance restrict, due to be held on Thinsday and Friday at the indian Arts Circle.

The festival, organised by the recently formed group called National Theatre of Indians Abroad (NATIA), will mark the barth centenary of Jawa-harial Nehru, the first Prime Minister of India.

NATIA director, K.P. Ashok Kumar, says that it will be a feast of classical Indian art forms." NATIA's ambition is to promote Indian art and culture among the community here and encourage local talent to step up their activity.

More than 150 children. representing 12 dance groups, will take part in the festival, showing different dance forms in India — Kathak, Bharatan-atyam, Mohiniyattam and Kuchipudi. Such regional folk dances as bhangra, giddha, kunbi, Kashmiri, Gujrati, Rajasthani and Goan will also be included in the festival.

Debut This will be the first time when all Indian dance groups in Kuwait will perform on one stage. Earlier, rival groups had been staging shows indi-vidually. Over 1,000 children

WHAT'S ON

DAILY: 8.30 to 12 noon; 4.30 to 7 pm; Kuwait National

Museum: Under Pure Skies, an

exhibition of 19th century

photographs of the Middle

East, on loan from Inter-national Museum of Photogra-

DAILY: 5 pm onwards:

natural history exhibits from in

and around Kuwait, including blue whale. Friday: 9 am

SAT-THU: 8:30 am to 12:30

pm and 4.30 to 7,30 pm. Collect

tion includes rare Islamic

artefacts. Quranic manus-

cripts; ceramics, carpets and

marine equipment. Arabian

textiles. Closed on Friday.

Kuwait Science Museum

ARTS

Under Pure Skies

phy, New York.

study classical dance at schools

The dancers belong to the schools run by Chella Shekar (Bharata Kalajati), Girija Radhakrishnan (Nrithanjali); Jayashree Viswanath (Nritta-Shanthi); Kanaka Devi (Sudarshan Kalamandir); Latha John (Nadana Kairali): Parvathy Narayanaswamy (Kalaman-Natayanaswamy (Kalaman-dalam); Rathi Vijayan, Shanthi Nair (Kala Sadan), Sreekala Babu, Sujatha Kesavan (Nrit-todaya) and Sujatha Rajen-dran. The Giddha and Bhangra numbers will be presented by members of the Punjabi Cui-

tural Society. Indian dance forms origin ated in the temples. Its history can be traced back 2,000 years in a Sanskrit book called 'Natya Shastra" (The Art of Expression). In the 4th century Natya (expression) was divided into Nritta (pure dance) and Nritya (dance drama). Over the centuries, classical dance became highly stylised and emerged from temple culture, evolving into a vibrant, creative art form.

The Indian Ambassador NN Jha will open the festival. Some Arab and Kuwaiti cultural enthusiasts, including Farouk Abdul Aziz from the Kuwait Cine Club and Mehboob Abdullah of the Arab Gulf Theatre will also attend the



Dancers pictured, after rehearsals, with bhangra directors Naroopa Sethi and Satwant Kaur Chaggar.



Yordanov (left) with KUNA Chairman Barges Al Barges.

Bast Show OCT 14: IAC, Funaitees,

the Kuwait Goans. **Gultar Recital** OCT 19: Kuwait Hilton Hotel: Concert of German guitarist and composer Wolfgang Condia. .: Hymns of Eternity", one of Condin's most significant compositions will be

Tareq Rajab Museum SAT - THU: 9 am to 12 noon: 4 to 7 pm. Exhibits include bedouin bandicrafts rugs, saddle bags, cushions and

EDUCATION

Gulf St.

Books & Software show DAILY UNTIL SEPT 28: British Council, Mansouriya; 9 am to 12.30 pm; 5-8 pm: Computers and Application, an exhibition of books and software. Selected titles on show. Organised by British Council in association with Kuwait Bookshops Company. All are wel-

THEATRE

ALTAN SEPT 29/30: IAC. Funaitees: 5.30 National Art Theaire of Indians abroad (NATIA) presents Indian dance festival. Folk and classical dance from different regions in India, Opening on Thursday: closing ceremony on Friday.

OCT 7: IAC, Funaitees, 4 pm: Konkani drama entitled
"Xim Vo Ximiter?; Written
and directed by Cajetan De
Sanvordem, Marcus Vaz,
Xavier Gomes, featuring the Mendes Brothers. Entry passes available at Raja Stores.

Bengali Play , OCT 27/28: 6.30 pm, Mousetrap Theatre: The Mouchak group, a Bangladeshi theatre-company, presents Ballav Purer Rupkatha, a fairy tale. For reservations phone A. Karım — 2627643; Dr Hyder -- 5625456; Heron -- 4893424.

MUSIC

Country Western Musical SEPT 27: Gala Night of KLT and ACT's annual Country Western Musical 7.30 pm, at KLT, Ahmadi. Sept 28 and 29, night shows,

Sept 30: matinee at 5 pm. For bookings call 5727558; 5712033; 5620332. Filipino Music Festival

SEPT 29: Thursday, Mabuhay Restaurant, 5-7 pm: Audition for the third annual Filipino music festival '88. Calling Filipino singers with good voice to join festival. For details phone Albert Arriola --5728000 ext. 6038; Suzette Vasallo — 2455550 ext. 326.

East meets West

OCT 6: IAC, 6.30 pm: "East meets West", a musical even-ing, by The Fams with Hindi. Punjabi, Malayalam, Tamil, Konkani, Bengali, Arabic and Western Music. Lead vocalist: Susan Rego. For entry by pas-ses Tel: 2409250; 4743984 or IAC - 3904817.

3.30 pm: The Kuwait Goan Beat Show: four-hours of nonstop music featuring six brass bands - City Limits, 5th Dimensions, Perfect Stranger. Stepping Stones, Next of Kin and Top Ranks. Organised by

featured in his concert alongwith works by J.S Bach and H. Villa-Lobos. Tickets are available from the Hilton lobby.

SOCIAL

Sounds Great Party SEPT 29: Messilah Beach Hotel, 8 pm: Sounds Great group's "Welcome Back/Welcome to Kuwait" dance party.

Music by Top Ranks and the Juke Box band. Twist competition, and novelty prizes. For reservations and further details ring Ken Winston or Adolf 5740256/7 or 5758870. Newcomers to Kuwait are particularly welcome.

Canadian Women's League OCT 1: First meeting of Canadian Women's League, new season, will be held from 4-6 pm. Maps available at embassy or call 3718678 for details.

German-speaking Cultural Association

OCT 2: Old Failaka Room, Kuwait Hilton. After summer holiday, regular coffee mornings for ladies resume. First meeting on Sunday, 10 am. All German-speaking ladies, particularly newcomers, are wel-

Video Workshop OCT 5/10: Kuwait Players will hold two video workshops giving instruction and practice on their video system, used for recording stage productions: live editing console and sound mixing system. Members and newcomers welcome. Limited

number of places. Tel: 5628227. **Kuwait Weish Society** OCT 5: 8 pm. Kuwait Welsh Society social evening. For further details Tel. 371-3467.

D'Assisi Association OCT 7: Holy Family Cathedral, 8 am: D'Assisi Association's 8th annual thanksgiving mass. All ex-students are welcome. For details phone Augustin - 574-6754 after 6

pm or Henry - 3291909 (am).

Goan Flesta '88 OCT 13: 8.30 pm, Messilah Beach Hotel, Habiba Ballroom: Goan Fiesta '88 to celebrate the fifth anniversary of the Young Goans Association. Music by the Stepping Stones and Hurricane Alley. For reservations phone Tom-2421454; Wilson -- 2416298; Tony — 3985040; Almeida — 4813740.

Flassik/Kapiiku OCT 22: SAS Hotel, The Tent, 6 pm: Kapilku and Flassik will celebrate their seventh anniversary. For details phone

Edna - 653-4200; Florence --243-9451; Jojo — 902-9593.

HOTELS

At Messilah Beach

Mubarakiyah Restaurant: open 24 hours, buffet breakfast, lunch and dinner and snacks. Sundays: Ladies Day: Mondays: birthday special; Fridays: special buffet "a go At the Sheraton

Riccardo's: Italian cuisine: music by the Sienna's Duo. Lunch and dinner, daily. Closed on Fridays. Sundays: Al Hambra:

Lebanese cuisine; Wednesdays: seafood night; Friday's buffet brunch. Entertainment by the Marcus Band provide live entertainment. . Hunt Room: lunch and din-

ner rest., specialises in meat and fish dishes. Le Tarbouche:

and dinner buffet featuring Arab cuisine. Thursdays: Arab world specialities; Fridays: buffet

lunch and dinner. Coffee Shop: international cuisine and daily specials; ideal

for casual or business meeting. At the Ramada

Le Mirage Night Club: Thur-sday night BBQ, full buffet; music by Al Arzz Band. Al Bendar Coffee Shop: continental and Arabic buffets for breakfast, lunch and dinner; 6

am to midnight; a la carte available. Al Candoul Grill Garden: 7 pm to midnight, fatures a selec-

tion of grilled specialities. Open Garden: 7 pm to midnight; a selection of teas, coffees, and juices; Arguilla water pipe available: videos shown on

large screen every day.
Fish and Chips Shop: 4 pm to Take away counter: 4 pm 10

11 pm, Arabic sandwiches and At the SAS

Al Bustan: Friday brunch for families, 11.30 am to 3 pm. Polish duo Danute and Feliks provide music.

Special promotion: "Shrimps around the world," until Sept

23, shrimps in cashew nut, shrimps curry, Boston shrimps pie and "deep fried ice cream." Peacock Room: new Chinese food menu introduced by clief Von Kwee Kiong. It features fried wanton, sauteed diced

chicken with cashew nut and

steak Chinese style. At the Hollday Inn
Al Ahmadi Coffee Shop:
international buffet meals at lunch and dinner from 6 am to 1 am; a la carte also available. Viennese Cafe: fresh pastries and cakes and other refresh-

Hanging Babylon Gardens: an ideal place to relax with friends. Thursdays: dine and dance at al Andalus Night Club. Friday: fun 'n' surprises for children and parents at the weekly brunch, 11 am to 3 pm.

At the Kuwait Plaza Al Dallah coffee shop: buffet breakfast. lunch and dinner; also set menu; mini-business lunch. International Food Arcade: 4 to 10 pm; ice cream festival: light snacks served from 10:00 am to 11.00 pm.

Bosphorus Restaurant: Turkish cuisine, a la carte; lunch and dinner daily except Saturday. Marco Polo Restaurant: Italian food, live music and at night candlelight dinner.

At the Hilton

La Patisserie: 10.30 am to 10.45 pm: Olympic Promotion. Watch Olympic games on TV sets placed in lobby and restaurant. Light snacks and des-

serts are on offer. Failaka Rest: lunch: 12.30 - 3 pm; dinner: 7.30 - 11.30 pm; Olympic Recommendation, until Oct 2, in addition to normal grazing menu.

At the Continental

Gardenia: 7 am to midnight; buffets featuring Arabic, Con-tinental and Indian food. Special buffet for Thursday dinner and Friday lunch.

Darbar: dialy Indian lunch buffet, except Friday; a la carte At the Meridien

Versailles: seafood, grilled, lunch and dinner.
Al Waha: Noodles promo-

tion, until Sept 30. Thursday: Tony's jam session, music, good and lively

Friday: family fun day brunch, buffet and live entertainment; video cartoons and

SPORTS

PBAK Inter-comm.

bowling tournament SEPT 29: 6.30 pm, 300 Club: Men's division: Hatid Ligaya vs Magnolia Ice Cream; Kay and Assoc. vs Satellite Co.: Phil Supreme vs. Ports Public Auth-

Sept 30: 9.00 am, 300 Club: Women's Division Magnolia vs Boodai Aviation: Far East Rest. vs Geds Kay & Asso. Men's Division: 1pm. Hatid Ligaya vs 300 Club; Far East. Rest. vs. Oabandi Co.: Al Nageeb & Khattar vs Mag-

nolia. Windsurfing Regatta
OCT 7: MBH Windsurfing Regatta. Open to men, women and teams. Entry forms available from Marine Centre (Tel: 55755960); Qabazard Marine (Tel: 5730442), Sultan Centers and Al Boom Marine (Tel: 4830570). For further details

Kuwait Nomads Rugby

phone 5624111 ext. 751/739.

Kuwait Nomads rugby players train every Sunday and Tuesday. Meet at the site of the Old Ground in Fintas. New members always made welcome. For details ring Graham Adams — 484-1296; Andy Hopkins — 564-2599; Steve Hill — 531-8060.

Softball League CALLING PLAYERS men and women — to join Kuwait International Softball League. Contact Steve Diemler

— Tel: 531-5246 or Vic Mason Tel: 5728931. Ladies wishing to join the Ladies League call Rita Diemler — Tel: 53 | 5246.

OCT 22/23: Boy's Own Club will hold a seven-a-side oneday football festival on the holiday declared to mark the Prophet's (PBUH) birthday. Interested teams can contact Milagres 3967446 or Joe d'Souza 4813662.

* All entries for the What's On column can be sent by telex (22332) to Events Section or hand delivered daily, except Thursday, from 12 noon to 4 pm, at the Arab Times Office in Shuwaikh. Photographs will also be considered for publication. Phoned-in entries will not

TELEVISION PROGRAMMES

KTV₁

- 3.30 Holy Quran 3.45 Heidi: cartoon serial 4.10 World News via
- Satellite 4.40 Baqaya Hattam: Arabic serial, starring Juliet Awad. Rabih Shihab.
- Dawood Jalajal. 5.40 Cartoons
- 6.10 Summer 88
- 7.00 News Summary 7.05 Variety Show
- 7.30 Cultural Programme 8.00 Wojoh Wa Ahdath: Faces and Events.
- "The Brain." Presented by Adel Malek. 9.00 News in Arabic
- 9.50 Al Shara'a Maksour. Arabic serial, starring Hassan Yusuf.
- Nawal Al Futouh, Mustafa Fahmi,

Yordanov

goodbye

BULGARIAN First Secretary Christo Yordanov says good-

bye this week after ending his

second three-year term in

Kuwait. Yordanov had earlier

been posted to Kuwait from 1976 to 1980.

This week, Yordanov was

busy saying farewell to all his

friends and acquaintances and

introducing his successor.

Stanimir Alexandrov. "I'll keep in touch with my friends

As the press and cultural

attache at the Bulgarian

Embassy, he was involved in

promoting his country's cul-

tural pursuits. This he did by

organising six exhibitions of art

and handicrafts. The next, a

book show, which he has plan-

ned, will be held in November.

here," he says ruefully.

says

Osama Abbas 10.50 Laitha Lilsabbar Ruhan: a talk show featuring Palestin-

Starring: Jackie Chan, Sam

Starring: Whoopi Goldberg

Starring: Karen Young, Michael Kane

Khata Al Shaitan (Arabic)

Starring: Suhair Ramzi, Karam Mutawa, Moham-

Bijlee aur Toofan (Hindi)

Sripradha, Kader Khan

Fahaheel Open-Air

Starring: Hemant Birje,

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My Lucky Stars

Jaws: The Revenge

- ians who saw the 1948 catastrophe in the occupied terri-
- 12.05 News Summary 12.10 World News via Satellite, followed by Holy Quran/Closed-

KTV 2

- 6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Rubick: cartoons 6.30 The Seal Morning:
- 7.00 The Australian Ark: "Return to the Dreamtime." A look at the culture and
- heritage of Aborigines. 8.00 News in English
- 8.30 You and the Law: local show
- 8.50 Magnum: "L.A." Part Two. Magnum is unable to stop the gang chasing his girlfriend. Star-ring: Tom Selleck.

Al Fahaheel

Al Jahra

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The New Kids

(Malayaiam)

Ahmadi Drive-in

PRAYERS

Nepale Meye (Bengali)

Surgat Nadam (Arabic)

Sulaibikhat

Man Hunt

Al Jleeb

Zuhr

Maghreb

- 9.30 Les Faucheurs de
 - 10.00 Perfect Strangers:
 "Pipe Dreums."
 Larry and Bakli promise to do odd jobs in their neigh-bour's house. But things don't work the

Marguerites.

- way they would like them to. Comedy.

 10.30 B/W feature film:
 You Only Live Once. 1937. An innocent man is sent to prison on circumstancial evidence. In jail, he turns into a killer. Gripping drama, featuring Henry Fonda, Sylvia Sid-
- 12.00 News summary, Magazine d'Actualite/ Closedown

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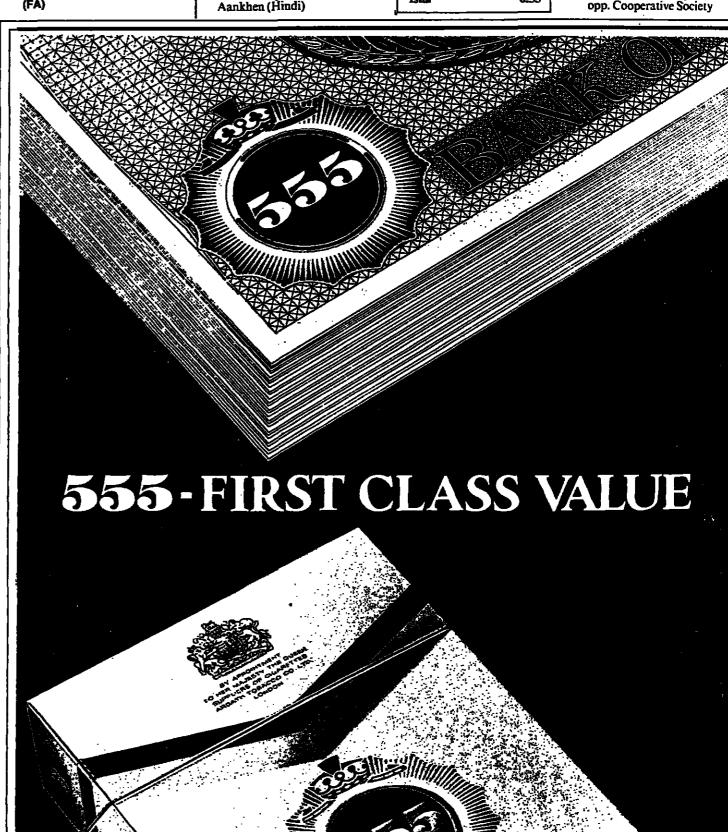
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Kuwait Dubai Pharmacy Souk Wagef, Algiers St. Hawalli and Nugra Raj Dulari (Bengali) Al Najat Pharmacy Maryam Yusuf Al Sad'a Bldg., Area 63, Block 6. Kuravayum

Salmiya and Rumaithiya Al Raed Pharmacy Amman St. Fahabeel and Ahmadi

Al Sheba Pharmacy Mohammad Jassim Dabbous Bidg., Dabbous St., Jleeb Al Shiyookh

Al Wahran Pharmacy Souk St. Al Khalid Pharmacy opp. Cooperative Society



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ARAB®TIMES

Thought for today

MORAL indignation is jealousy with a halo — H.G. Wells, English writer-historian (1866-1946).

Pakistani officers help Afghan rebels

By Oliver Wates

ISLAMABAD, (Reuter): Pakistani Army officers are helping anti-communist guerrillas as advisers and trainers inside Afghanistan, according to informed sources.

The numbers are small estimates vary between 150 and a few hundred - but the development worries some Afghan

"It's a mess, they run the risk of spoiling the good relations between Pakistanis and Afghone well-informed exile said in Peshawar.

"Interference from any side in Afghanistan is insanity," a rebel politician said. "The Afghans have a history of rejecting inter-

The issue is highly sensitive. Pakistan officially denies outright that its men ever cross the long, mountainous border, despite increasingly vociferous charges from Kabul and Mos-

No one is willing to be quoted on the subject, but several informed sources — Pakistani, Afghan and Western - confirm that the Pakistani Army bas become involved.

lt began about a year ago under late President Mohammad Zia-ul-Haq, a staunch supporter of the "mujahideen

Supply

Pakistan and its Western allies began supplying arms to the guerrillas after the 1979 Soviet intervention in Afghanistan and encouraged them to set up political organisations on Pakistani soil.

Zia and his right-hand man General Akhtar Abdul Rehman, both killed in a mysterious plane crash on Aug 17, apparently became frustrated at the military shortcomings of the ill-disci-plined guerrillas.

The sources say Army officers began crossing the border with mujahideen bands to help them use sophisticated Western weapons such as US Stinger anti-

aircraft missiles They also helped with planning strategy and tactics and tried to make the disparate guerrilla bands overcome tribal and political rivalries and cooperate under unified command.

The officers involved were usually Pashtuns, the racial group covering most of North-West Pakistan and more than half Afghanistan, Dressed in traditional clothes, they would be hard to distinguish from Afghan Pashtuns, the sources relieved of their Army posts before crossing the border, in case of capture, they said. Most would be expected to rejoin the Army after their assignments, though one source said some would be given civil service jobs

An Afghan source said three Pakistanis were captured in June near the southern city Kandahar and sent to Kabul. The Afghan government has not reported any such capture, however, though it has cited dates and places of alleged Pakistani intervention.

The source said some mujahideen commanders resented what they saw as Pakistani interference but were dependent on Pakistani goodwill for their arms

They complained that the advisers were keen for a dramatic victory, such as the capture of Kandahar, Jalalabad or Khost, something many rebels are cautious about for fear of civilian casualties and the danger of heavy aerial bombing after-

Stopped

The death of Zia and Rehman aroused speculation among Afghan-watchers here that Pakistan's involvement might be halted and the arms supply stopped. Senate Chairman Ghulam Ishaq Khan is currently acting president, pending elections in

A Pakistani official conceded to Reuters that officers had been involved inside Afghanistan in the past, but said this had stopped in May when the Geneva Afghan accords came into force.

Other sources, however, said Pakistani involvement was unchanged, even after Zia's death-Islamabad-was apparently concerned that if the rebels were not actively encouraged; the war could drag on for years, leaving Pakistan with three million Afghan refugees and facing a hostile government in

Flow

The arms conduit, however, was functioning at a much lower level and consisted mainly of spare parts, the sources said.

Rebel backers poured in arms in April and May with the signing of the Geneva agreement, which bans Pakistan from letting mujahideen weapons be transported across its territory.

Since early June the flow has slowed as the mujahideen have by and large enough arms for their immediate needs, the sour-

CIA's involvement in Nicaragua

Political storm over Wright's charge

By William Scally

WASHINGTON, (Reuter): In the election-charged atmosphere of Washington, a debate is raging over whether the Democratic Speaker of the House of Representatives released state secrets by saying the CIA has tried to undermine the Nicaraguan government.

Jim Wright, long an outspoken opponent of Reagan administration policy in Nicaragua, generated the latest furore with a few words in answer to a reporter's question last week.
"We have received clear tes-

timony from CIA (Central Intelligence Agency) people that they have deliberately done things to prove an overreaction on the part of the government of Nicaragua." the Texas Democrat said.

The purpose, he said, had been to derail peace talks between the US-backed Contras and the Sandinista government.

Rally Wright did not give the source of the "testimony". But his remarks appeared linked to an anti-government rally in the town of Nandaime on July 10 that was put down by security forces with the arrest of 38 peo-

Nicaragua soon after expelled Ambassador Richard Melton and seven other US diplomats, charging that the Reagan administration was trying to under-

mine the government. Wright's comments led to White House charges he had disseason produced a chorus of accusations by Republicans in both the House and Senate. House Republican leaders

asked the Ethics Committee to investigate if there had been a breach of rules barring unauthorised disclosure of classified information.

The committee, which is already investigating charges of possible wrongdoing in Wright's financial affairs, met on Friday but issued no statement.

Wright and his lieutenants insisted the most important issue was not what he said but "what our government has done, and

whether we should be doing it." He denied revealing any information given to him confidentially and said his remarks were based on the public record.

But a package of press clip-pings concerning US intervention in Nicaragua distributed by his aides did not seem to fully explain his comments.

For the Sandinista government Wright's remarks were a confirmation of its charges of US interference and the Speaker's critics said arrested opposition leaders would suffer.

Arrest

Republican Senator John McCain of Arizona said the prospects of release for those arrested at Nandaime had been significantly diminished by Wright's remarks.

"The legitimate internal opposition in Nicaragua has now been tarred by brush of CIA involvement and I think it's a

Prolonged conflicts are counter-productive

Economic pragmatism supplanting military adventurism

By Charles Salkowski

WASHINGTON: Economic pragmatism appears to be supplanting military adventurism as a driving force on the world

Diplomatic experts caution against concluding that peace is suddenly breaking out around the globe because of the unusual spate of efforts under way to end military conflicts and regional disputes — Iran-Iraq, Kampu-chea, Angola, Afghanistan, Nicaragua. But they see a common thread in these developments, which they attribute to the following factors: • Economic and psychological

exhaustion following years of military conflict. • The improvement in US-Soviet relations, resulting largely from Mikhail Gorbachev's need

to concentrate on the domestic economy and therefore to wind down costly confrontations with the West in various regions of the ●A recognition by such countries as Victnam that, as they pour their resources into trying

to dominate their neighbours,

they are being left far behind

"There's a growing tendency today to focus on economics and economic improvement and to see prolonged military conflicts as counterproductive to achieving domestic economic goals." says Robert Hormats, vicechairman of Goldman, Sachs International and an former official in the Nixon, Ford, and Carter administrations. Exhausted

are exhausted economically and militarily. But countries also realize that they have to pay more attention to their econ-A senior State Department official comments: "These con-

"Iran and Iraq, for instance,

flicts have worn the participants out. It's not that peace is breaking out but that the conflicts have wound down to the point where they are simply too costly. Looking to the future, diplomatic experts believe that a diminution of military aggres-sion in many areas will raise the

role of economics in foreign policy agendas to a higher level. National leaders - in Japan and the United States, for instance are already beginning to recog-

nize that economic strength may be as great a source of influence in the world as military muscle.

Another consequence of recent developments appears to be a heightened appreciation for the United Nations, which is playing a central, mediating role in negotiations and may be called on to expand its peacekeeping operations. The growing US-Soviet accommodation has made this renewed "multilateralism" possible. Results

"When the US and the Soviets are willing to work together, you will see many more tangible results," says former Secretary of State Cyrus Vance. "There's a rash of things now because of the change in the relationship and because the Soviets are shifting their position on multilateral organizations.

Vance stresses that the US, which is behind in paying its dues to the UN, must also climb down from its UN-bashing attitudes. Congress and the administration are in the throes of trying to resolve the payment problem. The position we have gotten

ourselves in, in not living up to our obligations, is a disgrace,"

Vance says. "With the environmental and other problems today that cannot be resolved by one or a few countries, we need

multinational solutions." The amount of diplomatic activity now in train to resolve longstanding military conflicts is conspicuous. Negotiations on a timetable for ending the eightyear-old Gulf war have begun at the UN. The Soviets continue to pull their troops out of Afghanisian, although they are taking heavy casualties and the withdrawal timetable has slipped.

In southern Africa, the governments of South Africa, Cuba, and Angola have agreed on principles governing the withdrawal of South African and 40,000 to 50,000 Cuban troops from Angola and the granting of independence to the territory of Namibia after 70 years of South African rule.

Conflicts

In Kampuchea, too, face-to-face peace talks recently took place between the warring factions as the Soviet Union has encouraged Vietnam to end its

Stressing that these are only the first steps and that the con-

flicts remain a long way from being resolved, diplomatic observers nonetheless view the developments as hopeful. And they place predominant weight on the changes taking place in the Soviet Union.

'Gorbachev decided he wanted to concentrate on domestic matters and so some of the adventures the Soviets sought to promote they are now trying to wind down," says Arthur Hartman, former US ambassador to Moscow. "It doesn't mean the Soviets have given up the desire to support revolutionary movements. But they have

become realistic and they don't want these conflicts to interfere with the US-Soviet relation-

The Soviets have switched gear," a senior State Department official agrees. "Most of these conflicts began when the Soviets had a different leadership and the US was reeling in the wake of the Vietnam war. Now most of the conflicts have spun themselves out after eight years." Along with the Soviet pres-

sures, however, are also the internal economic pressures and the contrasts that war-torn countries

draw with their more affluent neighbours. Vietnam, for instance, is today surrounded by a sea of smaller countries that were once behind economically but have now far surpassed the Victnamese economy.

"It's an island of misery surrounded by a booming Thailand, a booming Singapore, and so on." Hormats says "For all the fears about the domino theory, today Vietnam is the laggard and the economic loser."

That is sending out a powerful message, affecting attitudes in the region, and propelling nations toward a more pragmatic leadership, experts say. Strength

"As with the Soviets and Chinese, everyone realizes that the fundament of national power is economic strength and vitality," says a senior State Department official. "We and our friends are regenerating ourselves while those challenging the status quo by military force are caught by tar babies.

All this also points up the economic successes achieved in the West, analysts say. The Christian Science Monitor

Isidore Pongnon, head of the Ft

Dimanche prison fortress; and

Col. Jean-Claude Paul, com-

mander of the 700-man Des-

salines Barracks, the most feared

unit in Haiti's 7,000-man Army.

Paul, highly popular among his men, is wanted on drug-run-

nis men, is wanted on en ug-rau-ning charges in the United States. Paul has denied any wrong doing. The underfed and underpaid

soldiers of the 1,000-man

presidential guard, who carried

out the coup, are demanding an

improvement in their own lot.

Despite the sweeping changes undertaken by Avril, it remained

unclear who was really running

In an interview with the chur-ch's Radio Soleil an unidentified

News Service.

CAN YOU FIND THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THESE TWO PICTURES?



Tug of war in Lebanon

By Samia Nakhoul

BEIRUT, (Reuter): Lebanon's tug of war between two rival governments could destroy its political framework and usher in formal partition on sectarian

lines, analysts said. They told Reuters failure to elect a new president and the establishment of rival cabinets had effectively eclipsed a 45year-old pact on the sharing of government among the country's major religious commun-

A cabinet led by Sunni Muslim Prime Minister Selim Hoss and an interim military administration headed by Christian Army commander Michel Aoun are now tussling for control of ministries, communications and state

Former Minister Joseph Al Hashem cast doubt on the viability of formal partition when he said: "Neither the Christians nor the Muslims can live

It was to avert communal schisms and partition that the national pact was agreed in 1943 as a way of achieving communal stability and independence from French mandate rule. Accord

Under the terms of that unwritten accord, the president has always been a Maronite Chr istian, the Prime Minister a

MUNICH, West Germany,

(AP): A little past I am on Sept

30, 1938, in the headquarters of

the Nazi Party here, the leaders

of Germany, Britain, France and Italy signed the Munich Pact and

told the world that war had been

time," declared Prime Minister

Neville Chamberlain of Britain.

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Meyers, a West German political

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"I believe it is peace in our

By Terrence Petty

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Struggle destroying political tramework

Sunni Muslim and the speaker of parliament a Shi'ite.

Christians and Muslims have also been allotted senior official appointments and the 99 seats in parliament have been divided on a ratio of six to five in favour of Christians.

Mounting dissatisfaction with the system lay at the heart of the current crisis — yet all major parties engaged in the 13-year civil war were prepared to abide by it in trying to elect a new president over the past few

Colonial

"People who have long wan-ted the system overhauled were willing to go along with it in the latest election because it confers legitimacy," said a diplomat. Many rightwing Maronite

Christians - who see themselves as part of Western rather than-Arab culture --- value the pact as protection for their rights and

Their opponents, whether Greek Orthodox Christians, Sunni Muslims, Druze or Palestinians, regard the 1943 framework as a colonial device to maintain Western influence in the country through protecting the prerogatives of a favoured minority.

They want reforms to redistribute power, arguing that Muslims are now in the vast majority and hence deserving of a bigger role in government. Syria, the main influence in Lebanon, champions a secular

policy of "no victor, no vanquished" in the communal contest. It wanted Maronite Christian Suleiman Franjieh or Mikhael Daher to succeed President Amin Gemayel.

Damascus was confident either candidates, once elected, would carry out the reforms to the system it and its leftist and main Muslim Lebanese allies

Function

But militant Christians would accept neither candidate, fearing they would be swamped in a Syrian-dominated Lebanon.

Ironically, the government has barely functioned in practical terms in Lebanon for many years, itself an argument among some Lebanese for scrapping the 1943 covenant.

to democratic reforms were untouched by the purge. Among them are Col Joseph Namphy abrogated the constitu-Baguidy, head of the Bureau of Criminal Investigation; Capt

By Robert Glass

PORT-AU-PRINCE, (AP): The soldiers' revolt that put Lt Gen. Prosper Avril in power has purged the Army of some of its most repressive commanders and cracked open the door to democracy.

The question remains whether Avril, closely associated with the Duvalier family's 29-year reign of terror, will steer Haiti toward reform or another coup.

True democracy, with fair elections, a civilian head of state.

respect for civil liberties and a government that controls the Army, is a distant goal. Haitians have lived under despotic regimes ever since it gained independence from France after the slave rebellion of 1804. Haiti, whose 6 million people

live in one of the world's poorest countries, -has -endured three changes of government this year an Army-rigged election in January, a military coup in June and the recent rebellion.

An attempt at fairly electing a president in November 1987, 21 months after Jean-Claude "Baby Doc" Duvalier fled to exile in France, ended with the Armysupported massacre of 34 voters. Encouraged

Haiti's main opposition leaders and social activists say they are encouraged by the ouster of Lt Gen. Henri Namphy on Sept 17 and by Avril's early performance in the national palace.

"Before the coup, there was absolutely no hope" for democracy, said Leopold Berlanger, director of the Haitian Institute for Research and Development, an indepen-

dent political think tank. "There had been a shift to the extreme right and a real threat ... that we could go back to the black days of Duvalier," Berlanger said.

On his second day as president, Avril appointed a cabinet of 11 civilians and one military officer, Col Carl Dorsainvil, whom Avril named Minister of the Interior and Defence.

About 50 Army commanders were purged, many linked to Namphy or to the dreaded private militia. Tonton Macoutes.

Avril has courted opposition politicians and agreed to restore the 1987 constitution that calls for elections and to bring to trial suspected Tonton Macoutes.

tion after seizing power in June from President Leslie Magnigat, who had been in office four mon-

Avril said it would be impossi-

ble to hold elections soon, but

Coup in Haiti opens door

indicated balloting could occur in about two years, said Sylvio Claude, leader of the centre-left. Christian Democrat Party Perhaps the most significant immediate result of the coun is the replacement of many corrupt

senior Army officers by welltrained professionals. The most prominent military figures ousted were Maj. Gen. Williams Regala, a Duvalirist widely believed responsible for the massacre of several prominent families in Jeremie in 1964; and Port-Au-Prince police chief Gregoire Figuro, accused of

The Army runs the police.

Also ousted was Port-Au-Prince mayor Frank Romain, a former Duvalier executioner andreputed Macoute leader. However, many former Nam-

police brutality and corruption.

phy officers remain at large and

resistance in World War II.

phy an ultimatum to end violence in the country or face ouster. The soldier said Namphy, suspecting a plot to overthrow him. drew up a list of 75 soldiers to be

the country.

some notorious Army characters TODAY IN HISTORY

1540 — Pope Paul confirms Jesuit order.

1601 - Force of 3,000 Spaniards lands at Kineale, Ireland, to support rebel Earl of Tyrone, Joint expedition of Spaniards and Italians against Algiers, led by Gian Andrea Doria, fails.

1615 - Lady Arabella Stuart dies in tower of London. 1818 — Conference opens at Aix-La-Chapelle between Austria, Prussia, Russia, France and Britain to discuss French war

1854 - First great disaster to an Atlantic Ocean liner occurs

when steamship Arctic sinks with 300 people aboard. 1923 — Martial law is declared in Germany. 1938 - League of Nations brands Japan an aggressor in China. 1939 — Warsaw surrenders to Germans after 19 days of

1940 - Germany, Italy, and Japan sign 10-year military and economic pacts, setting up Berlin-Rome-Tokyo Axis. 1945 - Congress Party and Muslim League win most seats in elections for India's central legislative assembly.

1959 - Typhoon batters Japanese island of Honshu, killing almost 5,000 people. 1962 - Army stages coup in Yemen, and Colonel Abdulla Els

Sallah becomes Premier. 1968 — France bars Britain's entry into European Common

1970 - Jordan's King Hussein and Al Fatah commando leader Yasser Arafat meet in Cairo with 10 Arab chiefs of state and sign 14-point agreement ending civil war in Jordan.

1973 - Soviet Union launches spacecraft into orbit around earth with two cosmonauts aboard. 1987 — China's Premier Zhao Ziyang defends Communist Party's purge of dissidents.

Munich Pact a milestone on the way to World War II

"Munich has become a sort of ideological catchword because it stands for a policy of capitula-

The Munich talks were a lastditch attempt, led by Cham-berlain, to appease Hitler's militaristic craving for "lebensraum" - living space - and

Threaten

Hitler was threatening to invade Czechoslovakia, which would have triggered an immediate European war because of France's commitment to protect the Czechs and Britain's alliance with the French. His price for not invading Czechoslovakia was the cession to Germany of the Sundetenland, a German-speaking region of Czechoslovakia.

The Munich Pact was not only one of the most important steps leading to World War II. but it has also become a symbol of successful political blackmail," said Hermann Graml, a top West German historian. Chamberlain, Premier Edouard Daladier of France, Hitler and his ally in Italy, dictator Ben-ito Mussolini, began the Munich conference on Sept 28, 1938. Czechoslovak leaders were

excluded, as Hitler demanded. The site of the talks, a long, three-storey, barracks-like structure built just three years earlier, still stands and is a music school. But Hitler's private office, where the four leaders met, disappeared long ago in post-war

renovations. Volatile First-hand accounts of the four-power meeting describe the Nazi leader as extremely volatile

and ready to wage war if he wasn't given the Sudetenland. "Hitler was in a crude and rude and aggressive mood - a very unattractive character." the British statesman Lord Home, who accompanied Chamberlain as Sudetenland, an area about the his aide, said in a recent interview size of Belgium, could not even with the Associated Press at his

Daladier, writing years after the meeting, said of the start of the discussions: "Hitler arose

estate in Scotland.

and delivered a diatribe against the Czechs. It was a real explosion. Spreading his arms or clenching his fists, he accused the

Czechs of a frightful tyranny over the Sudeten Germans." Historians say Hitler had used the argument of self-determination for Czechoslovakia's minority Germans as a propaganda device to justify his claims upon the bordering nation.

"What he really believed in was the right of supposedly racially superior Germans to dominate other people," said Graml, a Munich University professor. Discussions

At one point during the discussions. Chamberlain objected to Hitler's stipulation that Czechs who would evacuate their nation's 11,000-square-mile (28,500-square kilometre)

take their cattle. Paul Schmidt, Hitler's translator during the conference, wrote in later years that the Nazi

leader responded impatiently: "Our time is too valuable to be wasted on such trivialities." Chamberlain dropped the

Faced with a hostile Nazi leader who appeared ready to throw all of Europe into war if he didn't get what he wanted, Chamberlain and Daladier agreed to the Munich Pact. Leaders from all over the

and what looked like a last-minute escape from war. But Winston Churchill said the pact had shamed his country.

"You were given the choice between war and dishonour,

world welcomed the agreement

Churchill told Chamberlain later. "You chose dishonour and wili have war." In fact, it quickly became obvious that Hitler had no intention of keeping his vow to be satisfied with just the

Sudeteland. In March 1939, German troops overran the rest of Cze-

choslovakia. Six months later German

troops marched into Poland, and soon the world's major powers, including France and Britain, were embroiled in a war that did not end until Nazi Germany's defeat in May, 1945.

Many modern-day historians.

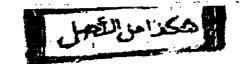
like Meyers, say Chamberlain

had no choice but to sign the Munich Pact, arguing that Britain could not have withstood a major war at that time.
"The British could not afford to go to war in September 1938 because of the negative status of its Air Force, and they had har-

dly any expeditionary force at all," said Meyers, a professor at Muenster University.
But the Munich Pact has left a

lot of bitter memories. Some French historians say the Munich accord may be one reason there has never been a strong French pacifist movement since World War II

Politically, mentally, pacif-ism was killed by Municing said Jean-Pierre Azema, a historian at Paris' Political Science Ins-



soldier said he and others who took part in the coup gave Nam-

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By Roger Boyes

IT was a shabby kind of auction; no silver hammer, no discreetly stroked noses, no ransatlantic bidding.

The buyers gathered in an apartment in Sant' Antimo, a bruised suburb on the northern edge of Naples. Above the door there was mildew and a crucifix. From across the street came a smell of peppers and tomatoes. Nobody noticed. "He's healthy, he's pretty ("Chabello!"), who will bid

The bidding was high — star-ing price five million lire (£2,500) - up, up, all day, most of the night and finally for 12 million lire, a true bargain to the happy purchaser. The baby was bought and

old: going, going, gone. Carlo, with the pudding face of a big eater, was born last March and from the begining his mother knew he would fetch a good price on the baby black market. Big brown eyes, wispy

A day spent in the brisk, uncomfortable juvenile court in Naples gives an idea of the problem. According to Dr Carmelita Cavallo, the local juvenile magistrate, about 500 illegal baby sales a year reach the courts. Hundreds never make it that far. These are dark transactions in dark places: a childless couple suddenly present their 'adoption' to their neighbours while in Naples a woman, her male protector, and a bent lawyer are a little bit

The illegal baby market is now a worldwide phenomenon. With West European and American adoption lists stretching into years, with adoption criteria strict and the popular choice being for healthy, good looking children, there is a great exploitable hunger for buyable babies. Central America is said to be the main market place.

Last year North American couples officially adopted 250 babies in Guatemala, 150 in El Salvador, and many more have left illegally. The value of the business with the United States is estimated at \$2-\$2.5 million (£1.2-£1.5 million).

The baby market in Italy does not reach this dimension but is probably the biggest in Europe. The Danes, the Dutch. the childless of the north, come south. But the clients are mos

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A world-wide phenomenon

Black market in babies

with dual careers who were at first childless by choice but who have become desperate for a baby. Boys, by the way, cost

The components of the deal are simple enough. First a lawyer who can handle the transfer advertises or makes quiet enquiries in hostels for the unmarried and pregnant. In Italy at least they are treading a fine legal line.

A crisis point is reached if the new mother is too closely bonded with her child and refuses to honour the contract. Then she can argue that she had agreed only under duress to sell sometimes questionable legality, Neapolitan priests questionable speak well of the middle-men even if the business is all about money, they are still providing a feasible alternative to abor-

Produce

Sometimes mothers produce to order: a recent case in the Naples area concerned a woman who had produced a baby every year for the last seven years and lived off the proceeds. More common. though are the pathetic cases such as that of Maria Gentile, a 25-year-old woman with a his-

ing birth, cars with foreign number plates were seen visiting her father's farm in the southern village of Agerola. Twenty days later the child has disappeared. Gentile's father. together with a businessman and six others were arrested and the case, though still under way, has uncovered a large baby-selling network in the backwoods of the Campagna.

The Camorra, the Neapolitan equivalent of the Mafia, has naturally become interested in the business. As it handles the substantial drug and smuggling interests in Naples, the Camorra can boast

finding clients to buy babies is not a problem for such an organisation. That, however, seems to be the limit of the Camorra's involvement. Cocaine and heroin remain more predictable and profitable businesses than babies.

Typical

Carlo, the baby for auction, is the most typical of the recent sales. Sant' Antimo is Camorra heartland; they let off guns at the funerals, spit or cry on the coffins as they wind their way through the intricate alleyways of the Botteghele district. The prostitutes sit outside the

houses on chairs, reading the papers, doing crosswords, smoking and coughing. Carlo's mother, 40-year-old Maria Angelino, a nervous, bird-likewoman, is in the trade. She has had six children who are now brought up their father, a radio technician separated from his

When she was pregnant with Carlo, she was contacted by a 62-year-old woman who has befriended many of the local prostitutes and, according to the Carabinieri, has handled several baby sales in the past. A bed was arranged in a private clinic and on March 26, after the birth, all records disappeared. The baby, too went underground. Carlo was not registered, an anonymous donor paid the hospital bills. and some weeks later the baby

The first potential purchasers were from Naples but they asked the intermediary to register the adoption officially at the Juvenile Court. The woman rejuctantly took the buyer to the courts, if only to demonstrate the impenetrable bureaucracy.

was up for sale.

The clerk became suspicious and the woman left the scene swiftly. That was how the police got wind of the baby auction. Normally they do not hear until too late, if at all. When the police broke into the apartment, Carlo was still in his auction clothes: an immaculate white baby suit, as if he were about to go to a party.

Disappeared

The mother has disappeared. Her neighbours speak well enough of her: she did what she had to do. She used to cry about her other children who are in the custody of her husband. Some mornings, when she was not working the streets, she would go outside the school gate and try to meet her lost

According to her neighbours she did not want to lose Carlo. Carlo's fate will be decided soon enough: the court will give him to a suitable couple from Naples, top of the long, long official waiting list. "If it were not for the unexpected slip-up caused by the innocence of the purchasers," Dr Cavallo says, "the deal for Carlo would have gone according to plan. And who knows how many other meetings would have been held in the baby bazaar of Sant

Calcutta's human beasts of burden

By Clifford J. Levy

CALCUTTA, India, (UPI): Like a beast of burden, Sagi Ahmed has been pulling people in carriages through the streets of this congested city for 25

At 45 his legs ache constantly. He often dreams about surrendering to exhaustion and simply lying down in the road.

But Ahmed cannot stop pulling rickshaws. He knows no other way to earn a few rupees than to trot through the streets dragging the carriage behind.

"If I have to work like a horse, if that is the only way to lead an honest life, then I'll do it," said Ahmed, a gray-haired man looking far older than his

There are more than 30,000 rickshaw pullers in Calcutta, a trademark here in one of the few places where this form of transportation still exists.

Activists cry out at men harnessed to a carriage like an ox. The city government has attacked the profession, nearly a century old, by cutting the number of licensed rickshaws and restricting the areas in which they can operate.

Yet rickshaws persist, and few Calcutta residents are at a loss to explain why the city does not ban them outright.

"It's inhuman, but what is the alternative?" said city historian Nisith Ray, who refuses to ride the vehicles. "It's impossible to outlaw them because of the large numbers of people who depend on the occupation financially.

Many other Calcuttans claim they find the profession inhumane, but admit a rickshaw is cheap transportation and can reach areas where the city's buses, trams and newly built subway cannot.

have no other choice, like when there is an emergency," said Dileep Das 30, a clock merchant

A congested metropolis with street names like 'Corkscrew,' Calcutta was not built according to urban planning guides. Roads cover only 6 per cent of its total area, as opposed to 30 per cent for most other large cities.

Rickshaws often are the only means of transport which can

navigate the narrow lanes and alleyways.
"There are people who would never think of riding in a rickshaw," said historian B.N.

Mukherjee. "But in some areas. there are no other alternatives. The vast majority of rick-

shaw pullers are immigrants forced to flee impoverished regions to the north and west of the city in search of work.

Rajendra Singh, 30, became one of Calcutta's 10 million people 10 years ago to escape a drought in his home state of Bihar. He returns to his village once a year to see his wife and four children and sends them money monthly.

Singh wages a constant battle with police who confiscate his vehicle at least three times a month for violating traffic

He pays a fine of 30 rupees (\$2.15), about 1 1/2 times his daily earnings, to recover his rickshaw, which is rented from a syndicate. Authorities limit the number

of rickshaws to 6,000, each is pulled 8 to 12 hours a day by two or three men working in shifts. At least the same number of unlicensed rickshaws are pulled by men desperate for any kind of work. Police have confiscated and

destroyed 10,000 illegal rickshaws in five years, claiming they contribute to the often unbearable traffic congestion. "They have an adverse effect on the traffic in some areas,'

said police spokesman G.M. Chakrabarti. "One thing is for certain, we are not going to give any new licenses." But even anti-rickshaw activists have become resigned

because of severe unem-"I'll take a rickshaw when I ployment. Rickshaw pullers themselves are more concerned just with earning enough to survive.

"I am a human being, and I don't like to work like a beast," said Jaga Ram, 40, who still pulls his rickshaw although stricken with tuberculosis a year ago. "But I have to eat."

Baby Carlo fetched a good price on the baby black market in Naples

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Even at the highest levels, the best Abbr. 33 Soft sounds lines are not always spotted. This 34 Canine hand is from world championship comments play, and neither declarer found the yellow brick road, even though one 36 High note made the contract. 37 3-Ď film

sonable effort-partner, who held little in diamonds, rated to have stoppers in the major suits.

A heart was led at both tables. At one, declarer allowed the queen of hearts to win. East continued the suit and this time West ducked. Now declarer ran the ten of dia-

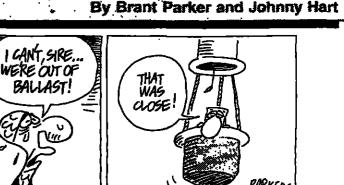
the first trick with the king of hearts and immediately led the king of clubs in the hope that West held the ace. In that case, the contract would have been ironclad. Unfortunately, East took the ace and reverted to hearts-curtains.

In our opinion, the correct line is to combine those of the two declarers. We think it is correct to win the first trick with the king of hearts and to play on diamonds-but not to take the finesse! Declarer should cash the ace-king. If the queen drops, there are nine top tricks without having to touch clubs. If the lady does not appear, declarer must hope that West has the ace of clubs.

declarer's jack of hearts is protected as long as West is on lead. Declarer has two chances of bringing home his contract-finding either defender with a singleton or doubleton queen of diamonds or, if not, West with the ace of clubs.

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By Johnny Hart



YOUR STARS



Aries (March 20 - April 18)

You will be able to do something you should have done some while ago. You should do your best not to get into an argument. An old friend would be really pleased to hear



yourself and must take care not do anything silly. You should not allow a temptation to spend as if there were no tomorrow to get the better of you.



You will feel on top form but you should take care you do not overreach yourself. You must guard against making any rash



Cancer (June 21 - July 21)

You should take good care that you meet your commitments. You will need all your concentration and distractions must be studiously avoided. Make sure you take enough but none too strenuou exercise. Be more broad-minded.



Circumstances are just right for you to do what has to be done. You

should leave yourself with enough time for your personal affairs. Try not to get sidetracked and do not allow yourself to spend too much time on secondary matters.



You will be able to get on good terms with someone who could be a great deal of help to you. You will be able to do something to further your career too.



The influences are somewhat mixed and you will have to take the rough with the smooth. You will find it hard to choose between alternatives but there is no point in prevaricating.

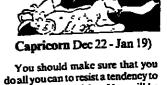


Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov. 21)

A door that has hitherto been closed to you will now come to be slightly ajar. You will have something to think about, something you thought had been dealt with for



You will be better able to meet your commitments. The solution to a financial problem depends on your being a little more frugal.



be rash and impulsive. You will be

able to help a friend who has had

some sad news.



The prospects are good only you must be a little more on the cautious side. You should make quite sure you do not lose sight of your objec-



You should be a little more cautious where a financial matter is concerned: do not invest in anything speculative. You should make sure you do not lose sight of

your objectives.





BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF

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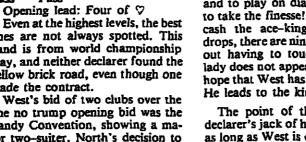
LOOK FOR THE BEST LINE

monds, and when that held all was At the other table, declarer won

He leads to the king and prays.

The point of this hand is that







America's first ladies are objects of academic study

By Victoria McKee

MODERN American Presidents have established a tradition of leaving behind them libraries as a legacy of their time in the White House.

In recent years their wives, too, have taken to keeping records of their years at the pinnacle of power ... and these more intimate memoirs have become the subject of academic

Only last week, potential First Ladies Barbara Bush and Kitty Dukakis began to unveil their campaign diaries in weekly instalments in USA Today (with a little help from reporter Jean Becker).

It is a gesture some find tasteless, others amusing, but for Professor Lewis Gould it will be more material for his courses at the University of Texas on "First Lady studies". Gould, Professor of American History at the university, has been running the courses since 1982 and has just added Nancy Reagan to the curriculum for next year.

We never study them while they are in office because it is only afterwards that their effect can be assessed," he says. He does not find the Dukakis and Bush diaries an embarrassment to the office. "What a First Lady does is First Ladylike, he says. "This could create a precedent. Or perhaps the precedent is already there -Mrs Kennedy had a ghosted newspaper column called Cam-

paign Wife back in the Fifties." Between 60 and 100 students attend Gould's classes each term and, aithough they cannot major in First Lady studies, the course is fully accredited and highly respected. Why study First Ladies?"Efforts to under-

At the University of Texas, a professor of American history runs courses on the subject of first ladies. Between 60 and 100 students attend and Nancy Reagan has just been added to the curriculum for next year.

says, that even the most self-

effacing and supportive First

Ladies wield great influence --

and never more so than now,

when they have their own staff.

policies and programmes.

Gould feels an administration

cannot be studied properly without examining the First

Lady effect. "Today, America

elects a couple." he says. "I

don't think a candidate could

First Lady is so significant one

of the reasons that America is

not yet able to accept a female

leader? "I was basked this back

in 84, when Geraldine Feraro was running for Vice-

President," Gould says, "No,

I'm not sure the United States

could cope with a first gen-

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graced only with a social

secretary. Today she has a staff

of between 25 and 30 and is

obliged to espouse serious

causes such as drug depen-

dency (Nancy Reagan), con-

servation (Lady Bird Johnson),

Equal Rights Amendment

(Betty Ford) or mental health

"The institution has changed tremendously," Gould says, "The catalyst was Eleanor

Roosevelt, who created a high

public profile and a precedent for her successors." Jackie

Kennedy, on the other hand,

was surprisingly unpolitical.

(Rosalynn Carter).

Once the First Lady was

tleman'.

Is the fact that the role of

get very far without a wife."

stand this singularly American institution in its historical context have been rare," Gould

"A television producer once Reagan's described Mrs Reagan's relationship as adviser to the President as 'Unique', without any recognition that Edith Roosevelt, Helen Taft and Bess Truman were all closer to their husbands than Mrs Reagan on personnel and policy decisions. Almost no effort has been made to determine why First Ladies captivate the public as they

Described

Although the Vice-President is described as being "a heartbeat away from the Presidency," the First Lady is literally so - all the time. For example, Woodrow Wilson's second wife, Edith, has been called "President-in-fact" by historians because she controlled who saw her husband during his disabling stroke in "Most important," Gould says, "she refused to counsel Wilson to resign, and she made sure that the public did not learn the truth about his health. As a result the nation had no real President for more than a year."

Nancy Reagan was criticized for having such a strong say in her husband's hiring and firing policy, and for controlling his schedule through consultations

with her astrologer. There is no doubt, Gould

hostess, and will be remembered for re-decorating the White House, enliving it with art and music, and enhancing it so gracefully. Although she had suggested during her husband's campaign that she would take an interest in "education, helping children, student exchange, and cultural programmes abroad," these ideals were never realized.

"Lady Bird Johnson was the first to become politically focused, with her own institutional bureaucracy," says Gould, who is the author of the book Lady Bird Johnson and The Environment. Lady Bird is also the last First Lady whose social papers are fully available

"Since Herbert Hoover, each President has had a library in his honour after he leaves office," Gould says, "but Nixon has had trouble finding a spot for his, and his papers, together with those of Pat, are tied up in a limbo of litigation because of Waterpate. It takes time to process these papers -Mrs Johnson had 2,000 boxes, which had to be gone through to remove any derogatory information about a living person." Few of Mrs Kennedy's papers have been made availa-ble — reputedly at her request - and those of Betty Ford and Rosalynn Carter are still being

Rosalynn Carter once said: "I don't think there will ever be another First Lady who will act only as more or less a hostess. Nevertheless, the "Steel Magnolia", as she was dubbed, did not gain popularity points by sitting in on cabinet meetings. Her autobiography, First Lady From Plains, outsold her hus-



Study subjects (clockwise from left): Kitty Dukakis, Jackie Kennedy, Lady Bird Johnson, Pat Nixon, Barbara Bush, Nancy Reagan, Rosalyun Carter, and Betty Ford.

hand's memoirs and became a best seller. John F. Kennedy could raise a laugh when he labelled himself "the man who accompanied Jackie Kennedy to Paris" but it wasn't so funny when Jimmy Carter began sending Rosalynn around the world as his "special envoy". People were insulted that he did not go himself.

The First Lady is expected to be serious but not serious enough to interfere in policy; attractive but sticking to "Republican cloth coats", like Pat Nixon, instead of flaunting designer clothes in times of deficit; diplomatic, as Nancy Reagan was not with Raisa Gorbachev; and fiercely protective of her husband. As Nancy Reagan said recently: 'The First Lady is, first of all, a wife, and need make no apologies for looking out for her husband's personal wel-

A generation earlier, Jackie Kennedy made a similar remark when cornered on the issue by an interviewer: "I think the major role of the First Lady

The National Archives will publish Modern First Ladies: Their Documentary Legacy, with an introduction and afterword by Lewis Gould, in November. It will be the most significant analysis of the role of the First Lady. In it Gould says: "Treating First Ladies in a feminist context is unproductive, because over the years they

is to take care of the President,

She apparently disliked the

so he can best serve the people.'

exemplified middle-class family values." Barbara Bush, he predicts, will continue to reflect those values --- just as she refuses to change her white hair or do anything about her weight or

have so well reflected and

wrinkles. Kitty Dukakis, on the other hand, shows an assertive style more akin to that of Rosalynn Carter. "Mrs Dukakis has already adopted the environment and the homeless as her causes, and was involved with a Boston project on public spaces and private spaces. As a governor's wife she is experienced in such things, whereas I don't think a Vice-President's wife, such as Mrs Bush, needs

Strengths

Mrs Bush has other strengths. She is an author — of a book on their late cocker spaniel, C. Fred. Rumour has it that she is planning another one in the same formula on their springer spaniel, Millie. The way George Bush whacked Barbara playful on the rump in front of US anchorman Dan Rather and millions of television viewers during the Republican convention last month, and told her to run

along before they settled down to the serious issues of the interview, was, many felt, even more embarrassing than the Dukakises caught dancing together cheek to cheek with no music (an incident Bush has referred to mockingly in a

speech).
Plans for a First Ladies debate, first suggested during the primaries when there were numerous candidates for the title, have so far come to nothing because most of the women refused to attend. Barbara Bush sent word most emphatically that she would participate in nothing of the kind, although Kitty Dukakis and Tipper Gore were apparen-

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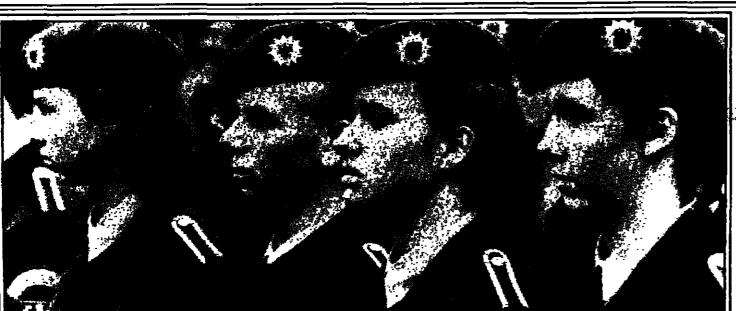
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But as Gould says: "Mrs
Carter thought that a First Lady could call the nation to duty. She learned instead that the public wanted diversion rather than moral instruction from the President's wife."



Women in uniform were first recruited by the Federal Republic of Germany's Bendesgrenzschutz, or Federal Border Patrol, last year. Keen interested has been shown by the fair sex in what used to be a career for men only.

Where the fair sex doesn't fear to tread

By Rudiger Durth

BONN (DaD): Applications by young women to join the over 20,000-strong Bundesgrenzschutz, or Federal Border Patrol, arrive daily in Bonn. The fair sex has no fear of the tough selection tests and is keen to take the three-year training course. Interest was triggered by last year's Federal Interior Ministry announcement that a first quota of 30 young women was to be accepted for training as border patrol officers.

The option proved so popular that a further 30 women trainees are to be enrolled this autumn. The men (it used to be a men-only career) are going to have to watch out: the women have proved hardworking and quick off the mark, and superior officers are delighted with them.

What particularly attracts young women is the wide range of duty schedules. The Federal Border Patrol is deployed along the country's land borders and in the North Sea and

It mans helicopter services, security checks at airports and seaports and guards Federal government facilities. Border patrolmen are also seconded for guard duty at German embassies. The GSG 9 antiterrorist flying squad is a Bundesgrenzschutz unit. It gained international acclaim by storming and recapturing the Lufthansa jet Landshut, hijacked by German terrorists, at Mogadi-

FEWER CALORIES,

shu airport in Somalia in 1977.

The young border patrolwomen are granted no special favours. They are expected to pass the same training schedule as their male counterparts. And they have taken up the challenge. As Fredi Hitz, Bundesgrenzschutz commanding officer in Bonn, puts it: "Anything else would mean we saw women as makeweights. But we don't. This is strictly a case of equal rights and opportunities for men and women.

FAMILY DOCTOR By DR ALLAN BRUCKHEIM

QUESTION: I must absolutely lose some weight, but I can't do it without some help from my physician. He seems

pill. Will you please tell me, can diet pills be bad for you?
ANSWER: Diet pills, both the older, amphetamine type and the newer ones should be taken only with extreme caution and under the care of a qualified physician. If you have a family or personal history of psychosis or substance abuse, you should not take diet pills at all. If emotional problems develop while you are taking diet pills, talk with your doctor without delay. Discontinuing the pills, and psychiatric help will avoid fur-

to be against the use of any type of diet

The more common side effects of diet pills are dry mouth, dilated pupils, dizziness, heart palpitations, irritability and insomnia. Some people who use diet pills become depressed, paranoid or have unusual blood cells effects.

ther problems.

Knowing all this, why would anyone take diet pills? Some people are willing to take the risks they pose, because the lure of a "quick fix" for their weight problems is too much to resist. There are many people who feel as you do, that without some "help" they are faced with the pos**MORE EXERCISE THE KEY TO WEIGHT LOSS**

sibility of failure when trying to lose weight. At the risk of sounding quite boring, I must remind you that the only way to solve a weight problem is to cut down your calorie intake and increase your exercise. Using diet pills as a temporary aid to get started may be a help, particularly when you are under medical supervision, but the real success will come when you make these changes a regular part of your life. Then you'll see a weight loss that is healthy and perman-

QUESTION: I have terrible muscle pains, all over my body, that has been diagnosed as fibromyalgia. Is there any really effective treatment for fibromyalgia? I think I have tried everything, but nothing seems to help.

ANSWER: Many of our readers may not know about fibromyalgia. It's a chronic pain condition that is thought to affect 3 million to 6 million people in the United States, primarily women. Symptoms are the same or similar to other conditions like low back pain, irritable bowel syndrome and tension headaches. so fibromyalgia is ofter undiagnosed or midiagnosed, and doctors and patients alike become frustrated with the problems. The good news is that it doesn't threaten life, deform or debilitate.

Symptoms include chronic pain and stiffness in muscles and joints, especially the neck, shoulder, lower back or hip. Morning fatigue, abdominal pain, disrupted sleep, sensitivity to temperature extremes and headaches are often reported. Patients with fibromyalgia have many tender spots around the shoulder and knee. Before a diagnosis of fibromyalgia is made, other systemic diseases like arthritis should be ruled out.

If you have tried all the pain relievers without much help, suggest the use of amitriptyline hydrochloride or a combination of amitriptyline and naproxen sodium to your physician. Benefits reported from treatment with this combination include improved sleep and reduced fatigue, pain and tenderness. However, even with the hope of some improvement using these medications. you will have to realize that this is a chronic condition, and your own resolve to overcome by developing your own coping mechanisms may be the best treatment available to you today.

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Hope for amenorrhoea sufferers

By Thomas Stuttaford

MOST of the women athletes in Scoul are likely to be spared one worry which affects most women when they travel; they are unlikely to be caught out by the alternations of the menstrual cycle which are often induced by a change in routine or location.

Most women athletes do not menstruate; their periods are inhibited by the amount of exercise they take, the tension of their lifestyle, and often a commitment to a poorly balanced and sometimes frankly inadequate diet.

An an earlier Olympics, 18 of 23 women athletes in a pre-Games health check never had periods. They had developed econdary amenorrhoea — a failure to menstruate in a woman who has previously had regular periods - when they started training.

Ballet dancers suffer in the same way. A study in Australia a few years ago showed that

pupils of a ballet school lost their periods during term time, but returned to normal in the less stressed, better fed environ-ment of their own homes during holidays or even sick leave. Researchers at an American university showed that the composition of diet was a factor. Some of the women athletes who had secondary amenorrhoea resumed having

periods when they are red meat. Miss Gillian Rose and Mr Keith Edmonds, gynaecolog-ists at Queen Charlotte's Hospital, Hammersmith, have reviewed the causes and treatment of secondary amenorrhoea. In the Journal of Family Medicine they estimate that 90 per cent of cases are due to disorders in the hypothalamus or pituitary, glands lying close to the brain which regulate the body's

pituitary access may interrupt These causes include weight loss due to anorexia, food

reproductive system. Anything

that interferes with the normal

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induces in their reproductive system might lead to osteoporosis in later life for

fadism, stress (including excessive exercise training), and a variety of drugs. The pituitary function can also be influenced by primary disease of the gland, the most common of which is a

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Less frequent causes of loss of periods include thyroid disease (either too much or too little thyroid). Cushing's disease or actual dysfunction of the female reproductive system, the ovaries or uterus.

Treatment depends on an accurate diagnosis but often no drugs are needed, merely a change in lifestyle. Patients can be firmly reassured that should they want to conceive the outlook is good, for many of the causes of second amenorrhoez are now amenable to treatment.

Women athletes should note that the changes an exercise regime induces in their reproductive system might lead

to osteoporosis, feeble bones, in later life.

By Paul Majendie

SION MILLS. Northern Ireland, (Reuter): Linen, the aristocrat of textiles that fell on hard times, is enjoying a renais-sance with Northern Ireland's 'linen barons' reaping rich rewards from changing fashion

With Italian designers leading the way in popularising a more casual and crumpled look in suits, linen has returned to favour just as the death knell was being sounded for the ancient industry.

Northern Ireland was once

the world's biggest linen producer until cheap cotton imports and the inexorable rise of synthetic fibres torpedoed the business. Now Herdmans, the Irish

linen spinners whose mill nestles in a valley of chestnut trees in county Tyrone, are investing 17 million pounds (30 million dollars) in new, much expanded flax-spinning facilities. Nearly 300 new jobs are

being created in an area with the highest unemployment rate

Fashion revives Irish linen industry

in Britain and James Herdman, the fifth generation head of a family firm started in 1835, said "it's all about rediscovery. We have re-entered the fashion

Herdman, reflecting on the vagaries of international fashion, said: "Casual wear became more acceptable in the 1970s and people don't always go to work in suits any more."
"With golf and tennis more

accessible, spring and summer fashions became important. Designers, especially in Italy, had no up-market fibre. They took linen and made it into lovely colours and designs."

Appreciatively sipping a cup of Italian coffee from the land of his best customers, Herdman said "it has not spread from Italy to Japan, West Germany and around the world."

ltaly takes 40 percent of Herdmans' annual production of 2.5 million kg (5.5 million pounds), with Japan accountingf for 33 per cent.

"Japan is the biggest untapped consumer market in the world. The Italian style is the thing to have there and they hate synthetics. It's hot and humid eight months of the year and the ideal market for us," Herdman said.

Flax was originally grown on the banks of the Nile where the Egyptians discovered the value of the sturdy but lightweight. thread. It was brought to: Europe by the Romans.

Huguenots, fleeing religious persecution in France, brought flax-growing to Northern Ireland which at its 19th century peak was producing 24 million linen handkerchiefs alone every year. Sensuously soft linen sheets enveloped people around the world. Belfast was nicknamed 'Lin-

copolis' and the 'linen barons' were powerful forces in the politics and economy of Britsh-ruled Northern Ireland.....

Herdman, fondly recalling those days, said the finen industry today employs about 7,000 people. Compare that to the peak of 100,000 in the 1880-1890s."

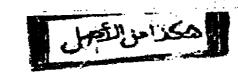
"In those days, every fishing net in the world was made from linen, every fishing line too. Every shoe was sown with linen thread. Linen tarpaulins covered farm carts around the world. There was this huge industrial usage that was lost to

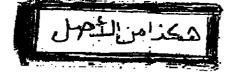
synthetic libres."

The flax being used in the Herdman's mill comes almost exclusively from France.

Amid the clatter and roar of giant spinning machines working 24 hours a day, it takes up to three weeks for the raw material to emerge as the fine, tough, soft light yarn so beloved by Italian designers.







BUSINESS & FINANCE

of the war in 1980.

we want it back."

Other countries took advan-

He said Iraq will not determine

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barrel from the benchmark price of \$18 set by the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries.

revenue, and we will be more

than happy to co-ordinate with

anybody on how best to do so.

But I know that the minute I

reduce my production, someone

else, within OPEC or outside,

will jump in and fill the gap. This

we are not prepared to tolerate,"

"Iraq is not the only player,"

he told the newsletter. And there

are many other players who are

contributing more than Iraq to market instability."

Plans

going ahead with plans to

expand production capacity to

"over 4 million barrels a day. It should be around 4.5 million

He said that Iraq is also work-

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Meanwhile, Oman's oil mini-

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willing to reduce its crude

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'We need to maximise

Stability vital to boost prices

Sheikh Ali, Chalabi pledge support for OPEC quotas

THE oil ministers of Kuwait and Iraq yesterday reaffirmed sup-port for output quotas set by the Organisation of Petroleum

Exporting Countries (OPEC).
The Kuwait News Agency
KUNA said Issam Abdul Abdul
Rahim Al Chalabi of Iraq and Kuwait's Sheikh Ali Al Khalifa discussed ways to stop the present slide in oil prices to ensure the success of OPEC's full meeting set for November.

They stressed the importance of supporting the official price level of \$18 a barrel through adherence by OPEC countries to their output quotas," KUNA

Oil industry sources say the 12 OPEC quota states now produce nearly 17 million barrels per day (BPD). In June they signed a pact to limit total output to 15.06 million BPD.

Prices The excess oil has flooded world markets, sending prices skidding close to \$6 below OPEC's benchmark. A five-state OPEC price committee meeting convened on Sunday in Madrid

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to discuss what to do. Iraq, OPEC's second largest producer after Saudi Arabia, refused a quota. It wants parity with the 2.369 million BPD quota of its war foe Iran. The sources put Iraq's August output

at 2.7 million BPD. Chalabi says Iraq, needing to reconstruct after its eight-year war with Iran, will increase production capacity to 4.5 million barrels a day by 1991, a newsletter reported today. Later, Chalabi said the United



iraqi Oli Minister issam Abdul Rahim Al Chalabi talks with Abdelaziz Alwattari, (right) acting secretary-general of the Organisation of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries

States is trying to use oil against the interests of the Arab nation. having attacked the Arab use of oil in defence of their interests, in

the past.
The minister's comments were included in a press release from the Organisation of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC) issued after the minister's visit to OAPEC offices yes-

terday morning.
The release offered no further details on Al Chalabi's comments about the US.

The release did say the mini-ster also said OAPEC has successfully passed through a difficult phase and is now ready to enhance its role among Arab and

international organisations. During his visit yesterday, the Iraqi minister met with Abdelaziz Alwattari, acting

secretary-general of OAPEC. The minister, who is also chairman of the Fourth Arab Energy Conference, also reiterated Iraq's strong support for OAPEC and its efforts to promote joint Arab action, according to the press release.

Alwattari welcomed the minister on behalf of the OAPEC General Secretariat staff. The OAPEC official also mentioned the Iraq-Iran ceasefire and said OAPEC is now embarking on a quest for a just peace in the region and to unify Arabs to confront the Zionist enemy in Palestine.

In an interview with the Nicosia-based weekly Middle East Economic Survey, Chalabi said because of current production of oil and price weakness, "people are asking us to reduce our production.
"But what do we do about

reconstruction, about our debts, about the production we lost during the last eight years?"

He said Iraq's production fell

650,000 barrels a day at the start the oil market situation. The visit coincided with a meeting in Madrid of the Organisation of

> pricing committee. Oman is not member of the 13nation OPEC. But has often backed the organisation's Oman currently produces 600,000 barrels a day, of which 550,000 barrels are

Petroleum Exporting Countries

exported. Co-operation

"Non-OPEC oil producers are looking forward to co-operation with OPEC and are awaiting a signal from OPEC countries for mutual co-operation and (for holding) a joint meeting." Shan-

But, he noted, there were "no positive indications" regarding the proposed joint meeting.

Co-operation among OPEC and non-OPEC oil producers is necessary to stop the current fall of oil prices, as it is difficult for OPEC member countries to han-

dle the situation alone," he said. Excess supply has caused the decline in prices by \$4 to \$6 below OPEC's benchmark price of \$18 a barrel.

Shanfari said the ceasefire in the Iran-Iraq war which took hold on Aug 20 has created " a relaxed atmosphere" for starting co-ordination and co-operation inside OPEC and between OPEC and non-OPEC oil producers. Both Iran and Iraq are OPEC members.

Oil ministers of the six-nation Gulf Co-operation Council were expected to meet in Riyadh on

Central Bank President Kari Otto Poehl said last week.

Meanwhile, Argentina won a

breakthrough in its bid for more

money for its debt-laden econ-omy with a \$1.25 billion World

Bank package announced here

yesterday. Bank President Barber Cona-

ble that said he would recom-

mend that the bank board

approve two loans worth \$700

He also told reporters during

the meeting here that the bank

approved in principle two more

Precedent

agreement signals important

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that Argentina has no IMF econ-

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interest arrears to commercial

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assurances that the new package

would not create any dangerous

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Although the agreement over-

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first line up an IMF programme, the loans are tied to a "letter of

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mits Argentina to economic tar-

Argentina agreed to reforms

to strengthen its finances, cut

inflation and streamline its

public enterprises, Conable said.

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med," he added.

"I discussed our plans both

Third World debt problem.

Argentine and World Bank

But it may be controversial in

widely-heralded

loans worth \$550 million.

World debtor.

World Business Summary

Six pc growth target may lead to tax hikes

NEW DELH1, Sept 26: The government's anxiety to push for a 6 per cent annual growth target for the eighth plan could mean austere days for the country, and considerable belt tightening. Tax rates may rise across the board, and the kind of consum spending that has been in evidence in recent years, may be reined in so that financial savings in the economy improve. Among the policy measures which the Planning Commission has mentioned as necessary for achieving a 6 per cent growth target are an increase in the ratio of taxes to gross domestic product (GDP), from 17.4 per cent to 20 per cent. The papers being prepared for a full meating of the Planning Commission, we needed to be add full meeting of the Planning Commission, expected to be held soon, point out that the reduction in corporate tax rates in recent years has not brought about any improvement in the internal resource generation of companies. The Commission thus suggests a review of policy on this front.

It is also pointed out that the financial savings of the household sector have been declining in recent years, and that this may be linked to high pressure consumer products advertising on Doordarshan. The resource crunch, that is inevitable if the 6 per cent growth target is adopted, will mean trouble for private sector industry in other ways too. Private companies may soon have to start competing with public sector companies for access to resources, whether from the investing public or the financial institutions. Thus, in a major set of recommendations, the Commission says the financial institutions should be asked to lend for public sector projects as well. So far, the institutions have been lending only to private or joint sector ventures. It is also suggested that the better-run public sector companies should be allowed to sell their shares to the general public, implying partial privatisa-

OPEC panel to review ways to harness surge in output

MADRID, Spain, Sept 26, (AP): OPEC'S price monitoring committee met in emergency session for a second day today to review ways to harness a surge in production being blamed for a decline in world oil prices, an OPEC source said. The source said the meeting began just after 11 am (1000 GMT) at the Indonesian embassy in suburban Madrid. The price evolution committee of the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries is comprised of oil ministers from OPEC members Nigeria, Algeria, Indonesia, Saudi Arabia and Venezuela. No decisive development was expected, said source, speaking on condition of anonymity. The committee, which last met on Aug 3 in Lausanne, Switzerland, tracks the evolution of crude prices and member compliance with OPEC policies, although it has no enforcement powers. The committee can, however, recommend emergency meetings of all 13 OPEC member nations prior to the scheduled fall session set for Nov 21 in Vienna. The committee held a one-hour formal meeting on Sunday in which a report on the current state of world oil prices and production were discussed, a senior delegate said. He described the report as "not very good." In recent weeks, overproduction has caused world oil prices to fall to their lowest level since mid-1986. The Paris-based International Energy Agency said OPEC was producing 19 million barrels a day in August, surpassing the 15.06-million-barrel ceiling agreed to last June. Algeria has complained to Sandi Arabia and other Gulf producers that failure to respect OPEC production quotas is causing serious hardships for other OPEC members whose economics are dependent on oil revenues.

Mubarak seeks UK support for tackling Egypt's debt crisis

LONDON, Sept 26, (Reuter): President Hosui Mubarak sought British support for his bandling of Egypt's troubled economy and discussed Middle East issues with British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher today. A spokesman for Thatcher's office said Mubarak wanted British backing in the International Monetary Fund (IMF) for a gradual approach to reforming Egypt's economy, burdened with \$43 billion of debt. Thatcher replied that Britain could not commit itself until it had seen specific proposals from the IMF, which favours a fast, radical reform programme to rein back state subsidies, raise energy prices and curb Egypt's budget deficit. "We're waiting to find out more about specific proposals before we commit ourselves," the spokesman said. "The prime minister was non-committal." Mubarak is half-way through a week-long trip to Belgrade, London, Paris and Bonn to canvass continued Western backing for Egypt in its deadlocked talks with the IMF. He and Thatcher also discussed Arab-Israeli relations and the Gulf war during their hour-long meeting, the spokesman said. He said both leaders favoured the idea of an international peace conference on the Middle East under United Nations sponsorship — a project supported by Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres but rejected by Prime Minister Yitzhak

Iran exports buses to China

TEHRAN, Sept 26, (OPECNA): Iran exported 25 buses to China on Wednesday, with another 10 set for delivery in the near future. According to an official with the Iran Khodro Company, the contract with China was signed following a visit by Chinese representatives to last year's Tehran international trade fair. Over the past two months, the company has exported 10 minibuses to Poland, while Bulgaria has placed an order with the firm for delivery of 200 of the vehicles. The official points out that several other countries had expressed an interest in purchasing the company's buses following a display of the vehicles at the trade fair. The company is currently showing its latest vehicle range at this current trade fair here.

Conable to back World Bank loans for Argentina

Baker legacy hangs over new US treasury secretary

new tanker into service THE Kuwait Oil Tanker Com-

Kuwait puts

pany (KOTC) said yesterday it had put into service a new custom-built refined products tanker, the first of six ordered from a South Korean shipyard.

The tankers are designed to boost the efficiency of deliveries to the Indian subcontinent and Europe, where the Kuwait Petroleum Corporation (KPC) has a large retail network of petrol stations.

The 35,000-tonne Kuwaitiya arrived on Sunday and was due yesterday to begin loading refined products for

Karachi, a KOTC official said. KOTC, a subsidiary of stateowned KPC, now has a fleet of 23 tankers. Kuwait, a member of the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC), has made a major push to integrate oil operations and expand in lucrative downstream ventures.

Jeddah port deliveries rise 7.8pc

RIYADH, Sept 26, (Reuter): Goods handled by Saudi Arabia's main Red Sea port for Jeddah rose in the first quarter of 1988, signalling the first increase in business for more than three

Statistics compiled by the Saudi Seaports Authority (SEAPA) said freight deliveries at the port for the three-month period ending March 31 went up 7.8 per cent to 6.61 million tonnes from 6.22 million tonnes in the

first quarter of 1987. Imports of cars, trucks and spare parts shot up 61 per cent to 652,000 tonnes while deliveries of consumer goods climbed 17.4 per cent to 2.21 million tonnes. Food imports also increased by 9.7 per cent to 2.23 million.

Qatar to produce lead-free gasoline by '90

SEAPA said.

DOHA, Sept 26, (OPECNA): By 1990, following the completion of an isomerization unit at the plant, Qatar's UmmSaid refinery will start producing lead-free gasoline.

Mohamed Turki Al Subai, deputy general manager of the refinery, said that a tender for the unit had been floated and international bidders were expected to submit their proposals by November

Process According to Al Subai, the

isomerization process will also ensure improved quality of other refined oil products. He said that the 50,000 BPD plant was currently operating at

12.5 per cent above its capacity. Meanwhile, the national oil distribution company has recommended the reopening of a 12,000 BPD refinery in order to enable Qatar to produce more gasoline, jet fuel and other fuel WEST BERLIN, Sept 26, (Reuter): The debut of America's fledgling Treasury Secretary, Nicholas Brady, has been a quiet

He knew, making a first appearance at international monetary meetings in West Bernn this week, that the US presidential election means he could be out of the job in just three months.

predecessor, James Baker, still hangs over the proceedings. "He's been pretty low-key," said one Asian official.

Brady, 58, has been welcomed by fellow finance ministers. "He seems to be an awfully nice man," said British Chancellor of the Exchequer Nigel Lawson. Policy

But Baker dominated the scene for the past three years, maintaining America's preeminence in global economic policy despite its waning financial strength.

Before moving in August to run the presidential campaign of Vice-President George Bush, he fashioned broad strategies for coping with the crisis over the Third World's \$1.2 trillion of debt and for managing volatile currency markets.

The legacy of those initiatives remains at this week's annual meetings of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and World Bank, but their influence is fading as attention shifts to the US Presidential election in

If Bush is elected, the betting is that Brady will stay on as treasury secretary and that Baker will be Secretary of State.

That might suit some of the bankers at this week's meetings who may feel more comfortable



West German Central Bank President Karl Otto Poehl (right) scratches his forehead as his American counterpart Alan Greenspan (left) and Japanese Central Bank chief Satoshi Sumita quietly look on. Poehl was awarded the 'Policymaker of the Year' prize by an US business magazine in West Bertin. (Reuter wirephoto)

with one of their own than they did with his predecessor. Brady is a plain-talking former investment banker.

Baker is remembered as a slow starter - a relative novice to economic policy when he moved to the treasury early in 1985 who was overshadowed in his first international meetings by the experienced former US Central Bank Chief Paul Volcker

But it wasn't long before the Texas lawyer, with the help of right-hand man Richard Darman, began to dominate the

At New York's Plaza Hotel in September 1985, Baker led fellow policymakers from key nations in a drive to bring down the dollar and coordinate economic policies in a bid to cut America's yawning trade deficit.
And at IMF/World Bank meetings later that month, he launched the so-called Baker initiative to provide more money to those debtor countries that put their economies in order.

Industrial nations paid lip service to both strategies this week, but there were signs of Debt

Japan, flexing its muscles as the biggest creditor nation, has taken up most of the running on debt. It introduced one new plan on Sunday to help the Third World and is ready to unveil details of another on Tuesday.

Even in the arena of international policy coordination, some erosion of Baker's legacy appears to have occurred. Although no one here is saying that policy coordination is dead, many officials are choosing to

emphasise its limits.

In raising interest rates last month, the United States clearly put the need to control domestic inflation ahead of its international commitment to a stable dollar. **Pressures**

"All of us have to retain flexibility ... to respond to domestic inflationary pressures," Can-adian Finance Minister Michael Wilson said. "We can't be constrained by international agreements. Central bankers, who have

dominated by politicians, have questioned the usefulness of building an institution out of the meetings of major nations' finance ministers.

always felt a bit uneasy about economic policy coordination

"I have some doubts whether it's really advisable to institutionalise it." West German

Ministers hail Japan plan as step to solve debt crisis

WEST BERLIN, Sept 26, (Reuter): Finance ministers said today a new lending initiative by Japan could be an important step toward a solution of the Third World debt crisis. Under the plan, unveiled dur-

ing the annual meeting of the International Monetary Fund (1MF) and the World Bank, Japan would channel some of its bulging currency reserves via the IMF to middle-income debtors such as Brazil and Argentina to help them put their economies back on track.

Dutch Finance Minister Onno Ruding called the scheme "a potentially important step for-ward on the road to the resolution of the debt problem. Glow

News of the Japanese initiative added to a rosy glow of the IMF meeting, which had already produced plans to ease the debt burden of the poorest countries

of Africa. The IMF's interim committee, which sets policy for the 151member lending agency, said there were also reasons to be encouraged about the state of the

world economy. Growth in rich countries was stronger than expected, world trade was buoyant and inflation had been kept moderate, the planel said in a communique.

But, with the first anniversary of the October 19 stock market crash drawing near, the ministers said vigilance was needed to make sure policies remain on course and the financial markets Deficit

In a clear message to the next

American president, who will be elected on November 8, the committee said the United States should cut its budget deficit further and get people to save more and spend less.

The panel also prescribed strong economic growth for West Germany and economic reforms in Japan to make the country less dependent on exports.

The advice for Japan was ironic in that Tokyo's new debt initiative was possible only because it has racked up enormous trade surpluses in recent years, displacing the United States in the process as the world's biggest creditor nation. Under the plan, the Japanese

Export-Import Bank would

extend new loans in parallel with the IMF to countries that agree to streamline their economies. The Export-Import Bank fin-

ances exports of Japanese goods, but the initiative will not require debtors to spend the money they get on Japanese goods. The plan may go some way toward stilling criticism by poor countries that the industrial world is not doing enough to help

mountain of debt, which now totals \$1,200 billion. "It could and should promote growth in developing countries and contributes to a solution of the debt problem," IMF managing director Michel Camdessus of France said.

them grow out from under their

Plan Careful in the past not to ups-tage the United States, Japan stepped out of Washington's shadow in June when Finance Minister Kiichi Miyazawa outlined at the seven-nation economic summit in Toronto a bold plan to help reduce the

Third World's debt. That plan, separate from the new lending initiative, will be spelled out in more detail during the IMF plenary session on Tuesday even though it has been received coolly by the United

Washington is worried that the Miyazawa plan, under which an IMF-administered trust fund would back payments on new bonds that debtors would issue in exchange for old bank loans, could eventually lead to a tax-payer bailout of commercial

The United States, for the same reason, is also lukewarm about yet another debt-relief plan that France has outlined and may spell out in greater detail this week.

Although the flurry of ideas shows momentum is building for a new assault on the debt crisis, now in its seventh year, ministers meeting here have firmly rejected blanket debt forgiveness.

And the interim committee, damping poor countries' hopes that the World Bank would start guaranteeing more commercial bank loans, also ruled out in today's communique any plan that would transfer risk from private leaders to official creditors.

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London Stock Market Report

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THERE WERE CONFLICTING PRESSURES ON PRICES TODAY. ON ONE SIDE SPECULATIVE BUYING AFTER THE RECENT ROUND OF BID MOVES EXERTED SOME UPWARD PRESSURE ON PRICES. BUT CONTINUING CONCERN AHEAD OF TUESDAY'S RELEASE OF U.K. AUGUST BALANCE OF PAYMENTS FIGURES PROVED A NEGATIVE FACTOR.

BY 1446 CMT THE FTSE 100 SHARE INDEX WAS DOWN 0.2 POINTS TO 1,792.2, DRAWING LITTLE SUPPORT FROM A MIXED WALL STREET OPENING. THE INDEX HAS MOVED WITHIN A SIX POINT RANGE TODAY.

MERVOUSNESS OVER THE LIKELY SIZE OF BRITAIN'S AUGUST CURRENT ACCOUNT DEFICIT, IN THE WAKE OF JULY'S RECORD 2.15 BILLION STG SHORTFALL, IS DISCOURAGING OPERATORS FROM TAKING POSITIONS AHEAD OF THE DATA. MARKET EXPECTATIONS CENTRE ON A CURRENT ACCOUNT DEFICIT OF 1.45 BILLION STG, ALTHOUGH SOME FORECASTS ARE FOR A GAP OF AS MUCH AS 2.1 BILLION STG.

"IF WE GET A DEFICIT MUCH ABOVE TWO BILLION STG WE COULD SEF LOT OF AIR UNDER THE FTSE 100, POSSIBLY DOLM TO 1,750 POINTS OR LOWER, " ONE DEALER COMMENTED, STERLING COULD ALSO FALL IN RESPONSE TO ANOTHER LARGER THAN EXPECTED BALANCE OF PAYMENTS DEFICIT, PUTTING RENEMED UPWARD PRESSURE ON 12 PCT BASE RATES.

London Gold

LONDON, SEPT 26. REUTER - GOLD BULLION PARED ITS EARLY SHARP LOSSES TO CLOSE AT 394.75/395.25 DLRS AN OUNCE AS THE NEW YORK GOLD MARKET FIRMED AND OIL PRICES STEADIED, BUT IT WAS STILL DOMAN ON FRIDAY'S LONDON CLOSE OF 398.25/398.75 DLRS. GOLD HAD SLUMPED TO ITS LOWEST FIX SINCE DECEMBER 1986 DURING THE MORNING AT 389.05 DLRS, FOLLOWING ON FROM FRIDAY'S WEAK U.S. PERFORMANCE IN SOTH GOLD AND DIL, DEALERS SAID. THEY SAID PROFESSIONALS "HAMMERED" THE MARKET EARLY, DRAWING OUT SELL-STOPS AND PUSHING THE METAL DOWN TO AROUND 386.75/387.75 DLRS, BEFORE IT EDGED BACK ON SHORTCOVERING AFTER THE FALL WAS SEEN AS OVERDONE.

London Money Market

LONDON, SEPT 26. REUTER - MONEY MARKET INTEREST RATES WERE SLIGHTLY EASIER IN LATE TRADING AS STERLING IMPROVED FROM THIS MORNING'S LOWS ON ITS TRADE WEIGHTED INDEX FOLLOWING CONCERTED

CENTRAL BANK INTERVENTION AGAINST THE DOLLAR. TRADERS SAID VOLUME WAS LOW WITH THE MARKET NERVOUS AHEAD OF TOMORROW'S CRUCIAL U.K. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS DAYA FOR AUGUST. ONE MONEY BROKER SAID, "THE MOOD OF THE MARKET IS CAUTIOUSLY OPTIMISTIC BUT IT'S BEEN A THIN DAY AND NOBODY IS RULING OUT

ANOTHER REALLY BAD FIGURE." THE BENCHMARK THREE MONTH INTERBANK RATE WAS 1/8 POINT SOFTER AT 12-1/16 11-15/16 PCT.

Foreign Exchange

DLR	STG	DMK	. FFR	
DLR	1.6600/10	1,8890/95	6.4280/10	
STG 1.6615/25		3.1355/95	10.7570/7720	NOON
DMK 1.8852/8932	3.131/145		29.305/465	NOON
FFR 6.424/436	10.665/683	339.98/40.62		FIX
SFR 1.5973/5983	2.6526/6559	84.56/66	24.86/89	1300
HFL 2.1295	3.5360	112.74	33.13	FIX
ECU 1_09976	.661110	2.07249	7.05384	CLSE
SDR 1.28970	0.772970	2.42064	8.24118	CLSE
YEN 134.70/80	223.66/98			NOON
SDR RATES	23/09/88	OTHERS	26/09/1988	

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CANADA	353.5	352.3	353.0	375.1	350.7	
DENMARK	455.8	454.6	447.7	436.4	336.6	
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Dow Jones Plus Indices

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Wall Street Statistics Composite

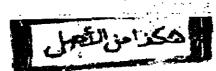
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CENTERIOR	12 7/8	- 1/5	BAT INDS: 7 1/4 UNCH.
TW SERVICE	25 1/4	+ 1 3/4	ECHO BAY 16 3/4 + 1/4
XEROX	56 1/8	+ 1/2	MSI DATA 18 1/2 + 1 1/2
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Wall Street Market Report

New York, Sept 26, (Reuter): Wall Street stocks remained little changed on the day: amid a lack of news to prompt either buying or selling, brokers said. US bonds, which stocks have been following closely, were soft partly due to a rebound in gold after a steep overnight fall, brokers said.

The Dow was moving narrowly around Friday's close at 2091 and declining issues led gainers three-to-two. Trading was slow. A large number of issues went ex-dividend today, including AT and T, one of the most active issues. The stockwas unchanged at 26-1/8 after adjustment for a 30 cent per common share payout

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international Bond Highlights

Frankfurt — A unit of the Gillette Co is issuing a 250 mln mark, five-year Eurobond with a 6-3/8 pct coupon priced at 99-5/8, lead manager Dresdner Bank AG said. (RTTZ 0559)
Frankfurt — The African Development Bank is issuing a 200 mln mark, 10-year Eurobond with a 6-1/8 pct coupon and priced at 99-3/4, bond market dealers said. (RTWB 1306)
Frankfurt — The European company for the financing of railroad rolling stock (Eurofima) is launching a 150 milit mark, eight-year Eurobond with a 5-7/8 pct coupon priced at 100-1/4. lead manager Bayerische Vereinsbank AG said. (RTXN 1454)
Loadon — Mitsubishi Mining and Cement Co Ltd is issuing a 100 mln dir equity warrant bond due Oct 13, 1992 with an indicated coupon of five pct and par pricing, lead manager Nomura International Ltd said. (RTXI 1409)

Landon — Nippon Steel Chemical Co Ltd is issuing a 100 mln dir equity warrant bond due Oct 20, 1992 with an indicated coupon of five pct and par pricing, lead manager Yamaichi International (Europe) Ltd said.

Rome—The European Investment Bank is issuing a 150 billion lire, seven-year Europond with an 11-1/4 pct coupon, a spokesman for lead manager Banco di Roma said. (RTVJ 1157)

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Interest Rates

FOLLOWING are the average KD interest rates of local interbank transactions as reported by participants to Central Bank of

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Period	Bid	Offered
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3 months	6-7/16	6-7/8
6 months	6-1/2	6-7/8
l year	6-7/16	6-15/16
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Tokyo Stock Market Report

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DOLLAR CLOSES FIRMER IN SUBDUED TOKYO

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TOKYO, SEPT 26, REUTER - THE DOLLAR CLOSED FIRMER COMPARED WITH THE MEW YORK FINISH ON SHORT-COVERING AND SPECULATIVE BUYING IN SYDNEY, BUT WAS LITTLE CHANGED FROM THE OPENING HERE AFTER FLUCTUATING MARROWLY IN A TIGHT RANGE, DEALERS SAID. OPERATORS WERE RELUCTANT TO CREATE LARGE POSITIONS EITHER WAY DUE TO SEMI-ANNUAL CLOSINGS OF ACCOUNTS ON SEPTEMBER 30 AND A LACK OF FRESH FACTORS, DEALERS SAID.

THE MARKET IS WAITING TO SEE IF FRESH NEWS EMERGES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY MEETINGS IN BERLIN, DEALERS SAID. THE DOLLAR CLOSED AT 134.73 YEN AND 1.8818/23 MARKS AGAINST 134.35/40 AND 1.8745/50 IN MEN YORK ON FRIDAY.

TOKYO STOCKS CLOSE EASIER IN DULL TRADE TOKYO, SEPT 26, REUTER - SHARE PRICES FINISHED LOWER AFTER SEE-SAVING IN LIMITED ACTIVITY ON THE LAST DAY OF TRADE FOR SEPTEMBER AMID UNCERTAINTY OVER WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO THE MARKET

IF THE EMPEROR DIES, BROKERS SAID.

"NO ONE IS SURE WHEN AND HOW LONG THE MARKET WILL BE CLOSED SO OBVIOUSLY PEOPLE ARE AFRAID TO INVEST," SAID CHARLES ELLIOT, DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH AT GOLDMAN SACHS (JAPAN) CORP. THE MIKKET INDEX FELL 59.17 POINTS, OR 0.22 PCT, TO 27,330.95. IT SLIPPED 38.19 POINTS IN SATURDAY'S HALF-DAY

FALLS LED RISES BY 1.3 TO ONE, IN THIN TURNOVER OF 550 MLN

SHARES AGAINST 300 MLN ON SATURDAY.

THE INDEX FLUCTUATED BETWEEN A LOW OF 27,185.83 POINTS IN EARLY TRADE AND A RIGH OF 27,439.81 JUST BEFORE MIDDAY.

SECURITIES HOUSE, PHARMACEUTICAL, MINING, CREDIT/LEASE, PRECISION INSTRUMENT, NON-LIFE INSURANCE, RETAIL, CONSTRUCTION AND RAILWAY/BUS ISSUES LED THE DECLINES.

ADVANCES WERE LED BY REAL ESTATE, COMMUNICATIONS, PULP/PAPER, SHIPBUILDING, WAREHOUSE, AIRLINE, ROLLING STOCK, TRUCKING, RUBBER AND TEXTILE STOCKS.

Hong Kong Market Report

HONG KONG, SEPT 23, REUTER - SHARE PRICES FINISHED ALMOST UNCHANGED AFTER FIRMING MARGINALLY IN THE AFTERNOON ON POSITIVE RESULTS FROM A MAJOR PROPERTY DEVELOPER, BROKERS

SAID.
THE HANG SENG INDEX CLOSED 1.46 OFF AT 2,454.38 AND THE BROADER-BASED HONG KONG INDEX EASED 1.58 TO 1,616.59.
TURNOVER WAS 311.81 MLN H.K. DLRS AGAINST 432.87 MLN DLRS

"HK LAND'S RESULTS WERE GOOD FOR THE MARKET," A U.K. HOUSE BROKER SAID. "THIS SHOULD HELP SENTIMENT NEXT WEEK."

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of local inter-	DAR ALDAMA DV/INV. 1.75 1.75	JORDAN KUMAIT BANK	1.35 1.35
s reported by trail Bank of	DARCO/INVEST/HOUS. 0.48 0.48 FINANCE/CREDIT/COR 0.56 0.55	JORDAN TANKING LIVESTOCK/POULTRY	1.95 1.97 0.68 0.65
	GARAGE OWNERS OFF 3.55 3.95	MACH/EQU/RENT/MAIN	0.77 0.77
id Offered	GENERAL INSURANCE 2.39 2.63 GENERAL INVESTHENT 1.33 1.31	MAS INDUSTRIES MIDDEL EAST HOTEL	0.69 0.73 0.60 0.40
i6 7 16 6-7/8	GENERAL MINNING. 1.36 1.35	MIDDEL EAST INS	60.0060.00
/2 6-7/8	HIMMEH MINERALS 0.75 0.75	MINERALS RESEARCH	0.55 0.61
16 6-15/16	HOLY LAND INS. 1.35 1.35 IND./MATCH JEMCO 0.66 0.65	NAT.FIN.INVEST CO NAT/CABEL/WIRE/MF	1.71 1.70 0.99 1.00
	INDSTRL DEVLPT BNK 1.51 1.50	NATIONAL AHLIA INS	1.26 1.25
	INDSTRL/COMM/AGR. 1.15 1.15 INDUSTRIAL INVEST. 0.75 0.75	NATIONAL INDUSTRY NATIONAL PORTFOLIO	0.39 0.38 0.67
	INTERN.CON/INV 0.18 0.17	NATIONAL STEEL	2.44 2.45
630 635	IRBID ELECTRICITY 0.86 0.86	ORIENT DRY BATTARY	0.25 0.28
97 98.50	ISLAMIC INV. HOUSE 0.64 0.64 ITERMED/PETRI/CH 1.28 1.28	PETRA BANK PETRA JOR.INS.	1.90 1.90
670 665 33.75 34	J.TOUR-SP COMPLEX 0.79 0.80	PHILADELPHIA INS.	0.82 0.87
31.50 33	JERUSALEM INS. 1.26 1.29 JO TOBACCO/CIGARET 14.0014.00	RAFIA INDUSTRIAL REAL ESTATE INV.	0.75 0.75
64.50 63	JOR CERANIC FACTOR 1.21 1.20	SHIPPING LINES	0.85 0.85
36 36.75 57 57	JOR EAGLE INS. 25.0125.05	SPINING WEVING .	0.89 0.90
195 199	JOR ELECTRIC POWER 1.64 1.64 JOR FINANCE HOUSE 1.03 1.03	THE HOUSING BANK UNITED INSURANCE	1.91 1.91 0.98 0.98
84 86 48 48	JOR GLASS INDUSTRY 0.86 0.86	UNIVERSAL CHEM. IND	1.55 1.60
48 48 283 283	JOR HOTEL TOURISM 2.50 2.30	UNIVERSAL INS.	0.69 0.65
235 240	JOR INDUSTRY CHEM. 1.64 1.64 JOR INS AND FIN. 1.20 1.20	WOOLEN INDUSTRIES YARMOUK INSURANCE	0.68 0.68
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COMMERCIA	-			BC-A	68.00	48 50	68.50
STOCK	BUY	SELL	OPEN		00,00		00.50
SMC-A	138.00	139.00	139.00	BC-B		90.00	
SMC-B	226.00			LC-A	.42	.43	.43
SD-TIRE	35.00	36,00	35.00	LC-B	.43	-44	
PLDT	209.00	210.00	209.00	ZIP	.0095	.01	
ANSCOR-A	2.28	2.30	2.28	OIL SEC	TOR		
AC-A	9.00	9.30		STOCK	BUY	SELL	OPEN
EFO.	31.50	32.50		BP-A	.014	.015	.014
FER-A	2.06	2.10	2.10	BP-B	-014	.015	.016
FER-B	2.18	2.20	2.18	LRC-A		.0034	
MINING SE				LRC-B	.003	.0034	
STOCK	BUY	SELL	OPEN	OPH-A	.029	.03	.029
APX-A	.022	.023	.023	OPN-B	.03	.031	
APX-B	.023	.024		OV-A	-026	.027	.027
AT-A	18.25	18,50	18.25	OV-B	.027	.028	-027
	21.00	22.00	10.2	TA	.019	.02	-02
AT-B	21.00	22.00		<i></i>			
							
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OFFICIAL	INFORMATION			
SECTOR	SHARES	VALUE	AVERAGES	CHANGES
E/I	149,710	1,848,445	861.16	DN 3.00
MINING	.77,988,050	2,886,360	3926.85	UP 13.20
OILS	723,300,000	6,908,100	5.166	DN 0.140
TOTAL	801.437.760	11.642.905	729.91	DN 6.55

			SING/	LPO	RF			
NAME	LAST P	RCL	G TOWN		110	L. K. TAH	58	
OTOMONILA		200	G U HLDGS		102	N FLOUR		310
ALEXANDRA		185	GANDA KOG		32	M GLASS		209
ANAL IND	90	92	GEN CORP	65.5	67	M TIN PRT	56	
AMAL STEL	177	177	GENT! NG	496	500	שוו פדט א	139	
AMCOL	132	130	COFD COCH		196		63	63
ONIVA	360	379	GSI	109		M'SHITA		605
BSTEAD CO	137	137	GUINNESS	288	293			62
C & C	241	249	GULA		28.5	MASNUM	200	214
CEREBOS	570	570	K L IND.	159		MALEX IND		380
CHEM IND		272	HARIMAU		91.5			82
CHUAN HUP	88.5	88	HAW PAR	310		METAL BOX		412
CI HLDGS		85	HEXZA	72	72	METRO	765	790
CS HLDGS		40	HUME IND	166		HULPHAIND		29
DAYAPI		53	HIJA HONG	90	92	HURATA		60
DKH		505	INT WOOD		76	MURATA100 MYCON BHD		240
DUTA CON		29	INTRACO	244	250	NAMELASTPR	CI.	240
DUTCHBABY	440	444	ISETAN	725	735	NB TIMBER	-	88.5
ELEC MAGN	153	160	J CEMENT	80	83.5	ORIENTAL	252	252
esso ord	354	356	JACKS LTD		138	QAF LINIT	40.5	40
EU YAN S.		208	JOHAN HDG	41.5	43.5	S BUS	336	338
F & N RTS	390	410	K G HLDGS			S DARBY	304	300
FACB		30	K KELLAS			S PRESS F	700	710
F E SHIP	202	208	KAHUNTING		100	S SHIP	314	318
F&N ORD	705	720	KAMUNTN A	71	72	S'HANG N	182	185
FEB CABLE		_ 67	ke sang		120	SANAMOA		121
FED FLOUR		560	KECK SENG	168	168	SANYO		110
FIMA BHD		248	KENTUCKY	216	221	SATERAS		56
FUJITEC		656	KEPPEL	267	271	SHELL ORD		500
G KENT		72	KG FLOUR		205	and I award	1200	1200
g lumber	99.5	102	KIAN JOO		122	SUPREME C		118

Singapore Stock Market Report

SINGAPORE STOCKS CLOSE SLIGHTLY LOWER SINGAPORE, SEPT 26, REUTER - SHARE PRICES CLOSED SLIGHTLY LOWER ACROSS THE BOARD IN LACKLUSTRE TRADING. THE STRAITS TIMES INDUSTRIAL INDEX FELL 10.61 POINTS TO

1,023.10. DECLINES OUTPACED ADVANCES BY 152 TO EIGHT. TURNOVER INCREASED TO ABOUT 14 MLN SHARES FROM FRIDAY'S 12.5 MLN. DEALERS SAID PRICES FELL FROM THE OPENING BELL AND CONTINUED TO DRIFT LOWER IN THE AFTERNOON DUE TO LACK OF INSTITUTIONAL INTEREST AND LOSS-CUTTING SELLING.

THEY SAID A 59-POINT FALL IN THE NIKKEI CLOSING INDEX DAMPENED SENTIMENT WHILE THE ABSENCE OF HOLIDAYING HONG KONG BASED FUND MANAGERS DEPRESSED INTEREST.

													
AMM/	N	JOR LEASIN	LICK	0.59	0.20			KUW	AFT				
	OPNG CLSG	JOR MANAG/ JOR NATION		0.50 2.57	0.50 2.58	<u> </u>	727W				<u> </u>		Į
DDIN COMPANY	1.18 1.18	JOR PAPER JOR PHOSPI		3.21		BANK SECTOR -NATIONAL BANK	P.CLS 1.060	LT 1-060	HIGH 1-060	LON 1.060	_	TRADE]
ALUMINUM IND. BANK	1.73 1.73 109.0 108.5	JOR PIPES		2.50 1.23	1.25	-GULF BANK	0.430	0.425	0.430	0.425	75000 200000	6 9	i
CHEMICAL DIER	3.55 3.60	JOR PRESS/ JOR PRINTI		2.00 4.00	2.15	-COMMERCIAL BK -AHLI BANK	0.320 0.380	0.380	0.380	0.380	270000		
FINANCE CORP. INSURANCE	1.40 1.40 0.87 0.87	JOR ROCK S	JOOL IND.	0.73	0.73	-B.K.M.E	0.395						
INY.INV/TRAD.	0.98 0.98	JOR SECURI			0.75 2.65	-K.R.E.B. -BURGAN BANK	0.410 0.315	0.315	0.315	0.315	100000	5	۱,
INT.UNION INS	0.90 0.90 0.53 0.58	JOR MOOD I	NDUSTRY	1.16	1.16	-K.F.HOUSE	0.530	0.530	0.540	0.530	115000	7	9
JOR/INVST/BK	2.10 2.10	JOR WORSTE			4.60 1.00	INVESTMENT SECTO -KNT INV. CO.	R O. 154						5
PAPER CON/TRD PHARMA_MANF.	0.28 0.28 1.89 1.89	JOR. PETRO	LIUM REF	7.66	7.66	-K.F.T.C.I.C.	0.210						1
PHARMA/CHEN	0.76 0.75	JOR.FRENCH		4.48 2.07	4.45 2.05	-K.I.I.C. -COM.FACILITIES	D_152 D_480	0.152	0.152	0.152	20000	1	֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓֓
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CT/CHOCOLATE	1.05 1.25	JORDAN INS			13.90	-KWT INSURANCE -GULF INSURANCE	0.730 0.370						9
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KD deposit rates firm

KUWAITI dinar deposit rates firmed yesterday as the dinar fell nearly one fils against the dollar and banks rushed into the US currency, tightening dinar liquidity.

Dealers said a steady decline of the dinar over the past month had fuelled speculation that the Central Bank wanted to devalue the Kuwaiti currency. The dinar has lost five fils against the dollar since Aug 1 and is now at a 20-

month low. The Central Bank rate fell on Monday to 0.28848/58 to the dollar from 0.28752/62 since Saturday, with commercial banks quoting spot rates of around 0.28852/57.

Bank officials were unable to comment in the absence of the governor, in West Berlin to attend meetings of the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank.

Overnight deposits, which on Sunday slipped to eight from 10 per cent, jumped back to trade at ten and 11 per cent. One-week funds traded at 7-1/2, eight and

8-1/2 per cent. The fixed periods, quoted at the end of trading on Sunday at a

uniform 6-5/8, 3/8 per cent, exceeded seven per cent levels but later slipped back slightly.

After business at 6-7/8, seven

and 7-1/16 per cent, one-month settled at seven, 6-3/4 per cent. Two to six-month deposits were put at 6-7/8 per cent and the one year at seven, 6-1/2 per cent.

Meanwhile, Saudi riyal

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deposits displayed a firmer tone yesterday in a thin market which saw more bids than offers. Traders continued to build up long riyal positions amid speculation of a future rise in

rates.

Dealers said many banks were reluctant to lend fixed period funds in anticipation rates could rise before the end of 1988.

Traders have been borrowing riyals to swap into dollars amid speculation the government may devalue the Saudi currency to increase the value of its dollardenominated oil revenues, which have been hard hit by declining oil prices.

"Kingdom banks are waiting for rates to rise before they lend any more money," one dealer

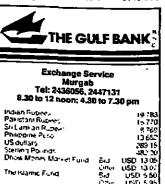
Day-to-day funds were steady. with spot-next quoted at Sun-day's levels of 8-1/2, eight per cent after trading at levels of 8-1/ 2 per cent. One-week was indicated at the same level.

1/16 point on the bid side, with one-month quoted at 8-3/8, 1/4 per cent, three-months at 8-9/16, 7/16 per cent and six-months at 8-13/16, 3/4 per cent. One-year was teady at nine, 8-7/8 per cent.

Fixed period rates rose around

Currency rates

	Buying	Selling
US dollar	0.28751	0.28905
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Qat. rival	0.07895	0.07944
Om. rival	0.74649	0.45175



Sri Lankan budget estimated at \$3.2b

COLOMBO, Sept 20, (Reuter). Sri Lanka's cabinet today approved an appropriation bill for 1989 for government spend-ing of 104 billion rupecs (\$3.2 billion).

Expenditure for calendar 1988 had been estimated at 72 billion rupees (\$2.2 billion).

A cabinet statement said the bili would be introduced in parliament on October 13 and the budget presented on October

Officials said most of the expenditure was for defence and to rebuild areas battered by a Tamil separatist campaign in the north and east.

Singapore to cut corporate tax

SINGAPORE, Sept 26, Singapore will reduce corporate tax for international oil trading to 10 percent from 33 percent effective from January next year aimed at promoting offshore oil trading, Trade and Industry Minister Lee Hsien Loong announced here

Addressing the Asia Pacific Petroleum Conference, Lee also disclosed that the government will establish oil futures market in Singapore next year.

The concessionary tax rate on oil trade is similar to the existing 10 per cent concessionry tax on transactions on gold and financial futures, Lee told some 800 delegates from 49 countries. including India, attending the three-day conference.
The minister pointed out that

the growth of oil consumption in the region is one of the highest in the world. Usage volumes for South East Asia and south Asia tripled in 1968.

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LONDON, Sept 26, (Reuter): Central banks hit an advancing dollar with concerted open market intervention today, reinforcing the latest pledge from the Group of Seven industrial nations to keep exchange rates

stable. Dealers said the banks of the United States, West Germany, France, Britain, Italy, Canada, Belgium and Switzerland all sold dollars after America's currency gained from a European opening just above 1.88 West German marks to a quoted high of 1.8907.

The banks knocked it back down by more than half a pfen-

nig.
They had been waiting to pounce on any speculative dollar gain after weekend talks by Group of Seven finance ministers, who were attending the International Monetary Fund and World Bank annual meeting in West Berlin.

Optimistic

A G-7 communique painted an optimistic picture of the global economy while also endorsing the present pattern of exchange rates.

The policymakers worry that stronger dollar could make it harder for the United States to narrow a still huge trade gap and might cause inflation in other nations as import costs rise.

But the market judges that a US boom and high American interest rates make the dollar a good bet, and it decided to test how serious the G-7 was about keeping currencies stable. li bought the dollar, embol-

Cubans urged to work harder, raise their productivity

HAVANA, Sept 26, (Reuter): Cuba's ruling Communist Party yesterday urged Cubans to work harder, raise their productivity and show initiative in an effort to solve the country's economic

The appeal, published on the front page of the official daily newspaper Granma, was made during a three-day meeting of the Politburo from September 15-17 presided over by President Fidel

"We need to produce more using the resources we have and save energy, raw materials and other materials," Granma said.

Castro has said on several occasions in the past months that the economy was going through the worst years since tion in terms of availability of hard currency.

The decline in the dollar and the fall of oil prices have dealt a double blow to Cuba's balance of payments.

Most of the island's exports are denominated in US dollars. Cuba re-sells most of the 13 million tonnes of oil it receives from the Soviet Union each year and the drop in oil prices cost it \$300 million in lost revenue. The dollar's decline also meant a 40 per cent increase in the import bill in 1987.

Granma said these "pernicious" international factors were compounded by internal deficiencies such as "the lack of rationalisation in the economy." few initiatives, neligence and apathy among workers.

A European diplomat said Granma used some of the strongest words to denounce inefficiencies since the start in 1986 of the so-called "campaign of rectification of errors and negative tendencies," launched by Castro to overcome inefficiency and corruption in all spheres of Cuban society.

The economy shrank 3.5 per cent in 1987 after expanding an average 7.2 per cent during the 1981-85 period.

UNIDO to organise investment forum in Manila

VIENNA, Sept 26, (OPECNA): The United Nations Industrial Development Organisation (UNIDO) will organise an investment promotion forum in Manila in November to help find capital for the development and expansion of about 150 projects in the Philippines.

The projects need investments ranging from \$500,000 to 40 million, according to UNIDO

announcement. The four-day meeting, opening on Nov 7, is meant to establish contact between foreign investors and Filipino companies in a wide range of activities, including gold and coal mining. wood processing, chemical and rubber product manufacturing. basic metal industries and the agro-industrial sector.

The forum is also aimed at helping Filipino business to gain access to foreign markets, obtain technology and modernise existing plants.

dened when West Germany's Bundesbank did not intervene

against it early in the day. Also, Hans Tietmayer, State Secretary in Bonn's Finance Minister, was quoted as saying there was no need for central banks to intervene just now.

Challenge "The dollar is advancing because the Bundesbank is not doing anything," a Frankfurt-based dealer said in the morning.

Central banks then took up the speculators' challenge and hit them with concerted sales. Last month when speculators

tested the G-7 commitment to stable currency rates by bidding up the dollar, central banks of the G-7 nations — Britain, Canada, France, Italy, Japan, the United States and West Germany — had to spend billions of dollars to halt the US currency's rise. In an apparent attempt to

head off another speculative assault on the dollar, the G-7 dropped from their statement on Saturday some key wording on currency policy that had been contained in their last three communiques.

That wording — that they did not want a further dollar fall was taken by speculators as a green light to buy dollars after it was repeated by G-7 leaders at their summit in June.

This time, the policymakers simply emphasised their continued interest in stable exchange

Dealers said neither the speculative dollar buying nor the

WASHINGTON, Sept 26, (AP):

seemed especially aggressive. The two sides seemed warily to test each other's mettle.

Some dealers thought the G-7 might simply aim to smoothe an inevitable dollar advance, rather than oush it down.

"Following the G-7 meeting central banks will find it harder to stop the dollar rising on good news," said David Cocker, senior corporate adviser at Chemical Bank in London

Falling oil prices have been another key factor pushing down the gold price as they point to lower inflation. Oil remained weak today but typical North Sea crude gained 25 cents to \$13.50 a barrel as key OPEC ministers, members of the organisation price monitoring committee, held talks in Madrid on the prevailing glut.

In early New York trading, Wall Street stocks were mixed, with some dealers citing firmer oil prices for the market's uncertain mood.

In London, shares were narrowly mixed in sluggish late afternoon business after trading within a very tight range throughout the session, dealers said.

There were conflicting pressures on prices today. On one side speculative buying after the recent round of big moves exerted some upward pressure on prices. But continuing concern ahead of Tuesday's release of UK August balance of payments figures proved a negative factor. By 1446 GMT the FTSE 100

share index was down 0.2 points to 1,792.2, drawing little support from a mixed Wall Street opening. The index has moved within a six point range today.

Deficit Nervousness over the likely size of Britain's August current account deficit, in the wake of July's record £2.15 billion shortfall, is discouraging operators from taking positions ahead of the data. Market expectations centre on a current account deficit of £1.45 billion, although some forecasts are for a gap of as

much as £2.1 billion. "If we get a deficit much above £2 billion we could see a lot of air under the FTSE 100, possibly down to 1,750 points or lower, one dealer commented. Sterling could also fall in response to another larger than expected balance of payments deficit, putting renewed upward pressure on

12 per cent base rates. Consolidated Goldfields was down 15p to 1,265, having dip-ped to a low today of 1,255. Dealers said the share move was partly on talk that last week's bid from Minorco might come under examination by Britain's Monopolies Commission.

Pressure The shares also came under pressure after news on Sunday that Consolidated has asked the British government to investigate trading in Cons Gold shares before the Minorco bid. Minorco's bid values Cons Gold at £2.9 billion.

Dealers also said Minorco might have to make a higher,

Central banks' intervention hits dollar Minorco's offer is £19 in cash and one new Minorco share for every two Cons Gold shares.

> Lonrho built modestly on last week's strong gains after speculative buying to rise 3p to 345 and top the actives list with a turnover of £12.9 million shares by 1520 GMT.

Last Tuesday's disclosure of a 3.79 per cent stake by US raider Asher Edelman sparked off renewed talk of a bid for Lourho. Lourho's court order to freeze the stake was lifted today. The shares took another sharp boost last Friday when Lonrho director Paul Spicer told Reuters Lonthe would not sule out a management buyout or asset sales if they benefitted shareholders.

Lonrho today said Edelman's stake had risen to 21.31 million shares of 4.74 per cent of the company.

British Aerospace rose 7p to 474, responding to an article in the Sunday Times saying the company is to share in a very large defence order from the Malaysian government. The report said the order raised BAE's order book substantially.

Speculation of a bid for Metal Box by Williams Holdings caused a flurry of activity in Metal Box shares early on but this later died down leaving Metal Box 4p up at 231 after a high of 235p. A larger than usual 2.7 million Metal Box shares had changed hands just before the closing. Shares in Williams were lp easier at 262.

Plan to stimulate business investment

Economists see US slowdown next year panel must assume essentially

The US economy will slowdown in 1989 but probably won't topple into a recession until 1990 or later, economists for top US corporations predicted today. The latest survey of the National Association of Busi-

ness Economists found a panel of 60 economic advisers to the country's largest businesses substantially more optimistic about next year than it was three months ago

In May, 57 per cent of the economists believed the current expansion, now nearly six years old, would end sometime in 1989. However, in a survey taken in late August and early September, that view was held by a smaller but still substantial 47 per cent of

Downturn

Forty-two percent of the economists believe the next recession will come in 1990, while 11 per cent look for the downturn in 1991 or later. "For business economists, a

group often accused of an inability to reach agreement on anything, the fact that 90 percent of the nation's leading business economists expect an economic

AMMAN, Sept 26, (Reuter):

Jordan's Central Bank floated

interest rates today in a move

bankers said was aimed at help-

ing the dinar, boosting exports

Bankers said a Central Bank

memorandum floating interest

rates and commissions, received

on Sunday, went into effect

today, but the immediate effect

The Central Bank freed

interest rates on all deposits. It

fixed the lending rate at nine per cent, the maximum allowed

under an old Ottoman Islamic

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rate by allowing banks to charge

rediscount rate to seven per cent

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downturn during the next two years is noteworthy," said Jay M. Woodworth, an economist with Bankers Trust Co. and incoming president of the association, which is holding its 30th annual meeting in Pittsburgh this week.

The median projection for economic growth as measured by the gross national product was 3.9 per cent this year, which would be the best since 1984, and was even more bullish the forecast of 3.5 per cent made by President Ronald Reagan's administration.

Predicted

The economists had predicted 2.9 per cent growth in the May survey and raised their projections even though the summer drought is expected to knock a full percentage point off of this year's growth.

In November, after the stock market crash, more than half the economists were looking for a recession in 1988 and the median growth projection was an anaemic 2 per cent.

The unexpected robust growth this year, if it holds up, should be good news for Republican presidential candidate George

since November 1986. It also said

for the first time it would provide

loans to banks and financial ins-

titutions for export finance, the

Policy

declined to comment, but said a

communique would be issued to

given Jordanians an incentive to

close their dollar and sterling

savings accounts in foreign

banks and deposit their savings

in dinars at comparable rates.

said one banker, whoasked not

He said the Central Bank wan-

ted to squeeze the money supply,

limit capital outflow and combat

inflation. He said the measures

should help the dinar, encourage

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explain the new policy.

Bush, who is counting on Americans to be influenced by their personal finances when they go to the polls on Nov 8.

Fifty-three per cent of a panel of nearly 300 association members are predicting Bush will beat Democrat Michael Dukakis, although 61 per cent believe Bush's economic policies will be better for maintaining stable growth and low inflation. Thirtyseven per cent thought Dukakis would win, even though only 22 per cent said his policies were

But according to the economists, the next administration, Democratic or Republican, is heading for trouble.

Projection

The median projection for 1989 GNP growth was 2.3 per cent, compared with the administration's 3.1 per cent projection. The economists also said inflation as measured by the consumer price index would kick up, from a projected 4.5 per cent this year to 5.1 percent next year. The administration is looking for inflation of 3.9 per cent in 1989.

exports and brake consumption.

banker declared. "The most

important need is for the govern-

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Reserves

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Jawdat Sha'sha'a, chairman

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Central Bank decision had freed

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"But this is not the cure." the

Woodworth said the 1989 growth projection means "the

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zero growth, the stuff from which sions are made, for the third and fourth quarters of 1989." Asked to rank the next admin-

istration's economic policy priorities, the 300-member panel listed, in order of importance: reducing the budget deficit; completing the free trade agreement with Canada; speeding up productivity growth; encouraging personal savings; and stimulating business investment.

Near the bottom of the economists' list was curbing hostile corporate takeovers, discouraging corporate debt accumulation, increasing antitrust law enforcement, reforming securities laws to prevent another stock market crash and changing federal law to allow banks to enter the securities

industries. Despite the importance placed on shrinking the budget deficit. the 60 economists forecasting the economy didn't see much progress ahead. The median deficit projection for next year was \$150 billion, about the same as last year's budget gap and the

deficit expected in fiscal year Jordan floats interest rates in bid to boost dinar and size of the loan," he said. Another banker, who asked not to be named, said the Central

Bank wanted to encourage sav-ing, discourage capital flight and tighten credit. Measures "These are justifiable mon-

etary measures. It remains to be seen whether they will work," he In June the Central Bank

floated interest rates on certificates of deposit with a term of more than three months and worth at least 1,000 dinars (\$2.640).

Central Bank Deputy Gover-nor Maher Shukri said at the time the relaxation in the interest rate structure was aimed at easing speculative pressure on the

WORLD STOCK ROUNDUP

SYDNEY, Sept 26, (Reuter): The share market closed lower in dull trading as traders marked time ahead of Wednesday's release of August balance of payments data. The All Ordinaries index fell 7.6 points to 1.543.5.

TOKYO: Share prices finished lower after see-sawing in limited activity amid uncertainty whether and for how long the market might close if the ailing emperor dies, brokers said. The Nikkei index fell 59.17 points, 0.22 per cent, to 27,330.95.

HONG KONG: Market closed for mid-autumn festival holiday. SINGAPORE: Prices drifted lower due to lack of institutional interest and stop-loss selling. The Straits Times industrial index declined 10.61 to 1,023.10. BOMBAY: Market closed for

two-day accounting period. It will open again on Wednesday. ZURICH: Shares were higher in reaction to the firm dollar and Friday's Wall Street gains, but turnover was low. The All-Share Swiss index rose 6.2 to 910.7. PARIS: Prices were firm on

general confidence generated by

weekend Group of Seven statements. The 50-share bourse indicator rose by 1.29 per cent.

LONDON: Shares traded within a very tight range and ended narrowly mixed in sluggish trading. AT 1446 GMT the FTSE 100 index was down 0.2 at 1,792.2.

Union Texas strikes gas

JAKARTA, Sept 26, (OPECNA): Union Texas (Southeast Asia) has struck gas in an exploration well in the onshore Tomori block in the Indonesian province of central Sulawesi, Pertamina, the Indonesian state oil company announced here today.

The well, code-named "Mar-tindok No 1," is the second exploration well completed in the region by Union Texas which is developing hydrocarbon resources in the area under productionsharing arrangements with Pertamina.

Tests conducted following the find recorded a gas flow of 9.50 million cu. metres a day.

Gold price hits 21-month low and recovers slightly later

LONDON, Sept 26, (Reuter): The price of gold fell sharply to a 21-month low in Europe this morning, but by mid-afternoon it had regained some of its losses after dealers decided they might have oversold the metal.

A traditional hedge against inflation, gold has fallen about 10 per cent in value this month. But iewellers said the lower prices would not immediately be reflected in shops, most of which had bought when bullion was far higher. Gold was fixed in London this

morning at \$389.05 an ounce—its lowest since December 1986 compared with a 1988 high of 483.90 on January 8 and Friday's close of 398.50. It recovered to fix at \$395.30 on Monday afternoon.

Lower oil prices and waning concern in financial markets

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sovbeans — and people. managed to escape.

The episode underlined the fact that legions of job-seeking

and low wages, every day more Brazilians decide to leave their country and pursue the dreams of the good life in Europe, the United States and elsewhere.

Even football, a passion here,

is suffering. Scores of players have snapped up contracts with foreign clubs from England to Turkey in the past year, brushing aside pleas from their fans to

in Portugal's 16-team first div-. ision last season, including many not-so-famous players drawn by the prestige of playing abroad and by salaries far larger than those offered at home.

toll on gold which is costly to hold if retail prices are stable as it pays no interest income. Gold hit record prices time and

about inflation have taken their

again at the end of the 1970s, peaking at \$850 an orner in January, 1980, as the worst industrial ion in 50 years bit deep and brought fears of the pant infla-

Charts

But a meeting of the Organisa-tion of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) price com tee in its second day in Madrid held little hope of concrete measures to bolster oil prices in a glutted market, dealers said. High interest rates and ample

supplies of bullion have also ed speculators into selling gold, they said. Gold hit a quoted low of

\$387.50 an ounce in early London business today after weakness on Asian and Swiss markets. And at the start of business today some London bullion analysts said their charts now pointed to \$370 to 375

an ounce for gold. A price dive would hit goldproducing debtor nations like Mexico and Brazil and possibly

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the US banks that have lent them Silver bullion was fixed at 609.85 cents an ounce in London today, its lowest setting since the end of March last year, and down

sharply from Friday's London close of 625 to 627 cents. Platinum followed the weak performance of other precious metals to fix at \$481 an ounce, its lowest since March 8 this year. This compared with its are-weekend close of \$491 to 492.50.

Brazilians flee bad wages at home for hopes of jobs abroad

ES, Brazil, Sept 26, (Reuter): When the freighter Olivia set sail for the United States last month. it carried some of Brazil's main exports like cocoa beans,

US immigration authorities in Philadelphia found 46 Brazilians stuffed into the ship's cabins. They sent home all but nine who

Brazilians are abandoning the country that once seemed to have Latin America's brightest future. While the local economy stagnates with 700 per cent inflation

Contracts

Fifty-three Brazilians played

Sports commentators call it the biggest exodus of Brazilian athletes ever, with one estimating that about 250 players have signed foreign contracts in the past.

"I wish I could stay to make the fans happy. They must understand, however, that to earn in Brazil what I will get in Italy, I'd take at least 25 years." said football idol Renato Portoluppi after he signed a threeyear contract with Italian club Roma for \$700,000 a year.

So many soccer pros are playing in Europe that one sports commentator cracked: "If we wish to see our best players, we might as well follow the Italian championship on television."

But the exodus isn't restricted to the football pitch. Brazil once had a future. Maybe it still does, but I don't

want to wait to find out," said

Jose Carlos Ferreira, 30, who said he paid \$2000 to a shipping agent for a place on the Olivia, only to be caught in Philadelphia and deported. When he left, Ferreira was supporting his wife and two chil-

drea on a monthly salary of \$75 as a cattle insemination specialist, he said. "If I had known the (US

immigration) agents were going to come, I would have jumped off:

the boat and swum," he said as he sat in a cafe in this city 600 km (380 miles) north of Rio De Jan- eiro, a week after coming home without a cent but determined to

No official figures exist on the number of emigrants, but local news reports say millions have left over the past decade. The largest number go to the United States, though others take up residence in Europe, Canada and

"They are people who feel they have exhausted all their chances of getting ahead in their own country, people who feel they have nothing to lose by leaving, said Joao Ribeiro, an Interior Ministry spokesman.

Exodus No city in Brazil has been affected by the exodus more than Governador Valadares, a cattle and mining centre with a popula-tion of 300,000 in Minas Gerais state.

City councilman Julio Avelar estimates that 34,000 people from Governador Valadares now live in the United States. Most entered the country illegally or overstayed tourist visas.

"Almost everybody in this city has a relative or friend up there," said long-time Resident Gilberto Fernándes Lima

"We have no social security

system," said Wu Chengchang,

deputy director of the Shenvang

commission on structural

"What happens to those peo-ple who lose their jobs? We have

Economists and government officials say the bankruptcy law

will probably be used to threaten

the most inefficient firms into

said Shenyang Mayor Wu Dis-

reform.

to move slowly."

Hundreds of thousands of Chinese firms teetering on brink of failure

(Reuter): Two years after China's first state-run company was allowed to go bankrupt, 300,000 of the nation's firms are teetering on the brink of failure. The threat of mass layoffs is

no other firm has yet met the same fate. And many economists say that even after a bankruptcy law goes

such a sensitive issue in this com-

munist country, however, that

into effect on Nov 1, few will. China has admitted it has as many as 30 million urban workers - many of them at state firms - with nothing to do and that something must be done to whip its inefficient industry into

More than 400,000 companies across the country are losing money and three quarters of them should be dissolved, the Economic daily newspaper said.

Profits Beijing will spend 40 billion yuan (\$10.8 billion) or half of China's industrial profits, on subsidies to ailing state firms this year, according to the news-

paper.
"I cannot predict how many

SHENYANG, China, Sept 26, companies will go bankrupt once ruptcy will be too difficult to the law goes into effect," said vice governor of Liaoning province Zhu Jiazhen. "But we have already issued warnings to four companies in danger of failing."

The Shenyang explosionproof apparatus factory, in Liaoning province, slipped into bankruptcy - or at least socialist-style bankruptcy - in August

Plant The plant was bought by the Jinbei Automotive Company, a maker of light trucks, that needed room to expand.

retrained, reassigned or helped to find work outside the plant, much like other employees at Jinbei whose jobs have been eliminated. "Altogether we have about

1,000 people at our operations who could not find another job and they are all being paid 70 per cent of their salary," said Zhao Xilong, Jinbei's chairman. Asked how long that would

continue, he said: "We haven't

Economists say that even with

the law at last in place, bank-

really decided that yet."

improving. They say a more useful tool will be mergers, letting the weak be absorbed by the strong.
"We will use bankruptcy as a Most of its 70 workers were way to revitalise the economy,

> heng. "But we can also use mergers and that is what we would prefer to do." In Liaoning province alone, more than 50 companies have been merged into other firms,

according to officials. The Yingkou chemical fibre factory is one company that absorbed a firm facing bankruptcy - it took over a knitting plant that was poorly managed and heavily in debt.

GOVERNMENT TENDERS

Tender No. PT//35/88/89 Tender's internal No. 155/88 Concerned party: Ministry of Educa-

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Dear Junior Readers,

Lost week there was a page in this newspaper which looked at what we are doing to our world and what the results will be if we continue In this way. I was very shocked and frightened by what I read, which is how every one should feel when they get to know of the way people are destroying this planet.

The environment — a big word for what has become a very big problem. The environment is what is around us in our world; the land, oceans, forests, even the sky above us. All of these play an important part in what we call the balance of nature' and if you destroy one, you destroy them all.

We are tearing down trees by the million, pumping polson gases into the cir, filling the rivers and seas with our rubbish and yet it seems there are still too many people who just do not care — not even governments, who have the power to change things. It is too easy to think that we are 'safe' for a few hundred years, but then what? We must stop this crozy, greedy, selfish behaviour soon, or there will be nothing left for the future ... not for us, our children, or our children's

Auntie Joyne

Science quiz

1. Why do we hear thunder after we have seen the flash of lightning?

2. What are the main chemical elements of our bones? 3. What are the chemical elements that make 'heavy water?

4. What colour are sodium choloride and copper sulphate, and what is common to both? 5. What is the normal temperature of your body?

6. How do cavity walls help to keep a house warm during

7. Why is water sometimes fluoridated? 8. Why is vinegar used for pickling?

9. Why are oranges a healthy food to eat? 10. What does a 'seismograph' record?

11. What great scientist and mathematician is linked with the Theory of Relativity?

12. What is obtained when oxygen is combined with 13. How does a periscope work?

14. In electrical equipment why is most wire made of

15. What is the name given to a 'dry' barometer? 16. What is the name given to a barometer used in

17. What chemical element gets its name from the Greek word meaning 'stink'?

18. What did Watson-Watt pioneer during the Second

19. What did William Harvey discover about three hundred and fifty years ago?

Solution on Thursday

Solution to 'Letter change'; 1. All the year round 2. Money for old rope 3. Father, and Mother 4. Greek meets Greek 5. Break the had news 6. Last but not least 7. Catch ascatch can 8. Laugh and grow fat 9. Get on with the job-10. By fits and starts 11. National lottery 12. Corner the market

By Richard Wilson

THERE was once a king who had a very loud voice, and three sons.

His voice was very loud. It was so loud that when he spoke everyone jumped. So they called the country he ruled over by the name of Jumpy.

But one day the king spoke in a very low voice indeed. And all the people ran about and said, 'The King is going to die.

He was going to die, and he did die. But before he died he called his three sons to his bedside. He gave one half of Jumpy to the eldest son; and he gave the other half to the second son. Then he said to the third, You shall have six shillings and eightpence farthing and the small bag in my private box.'

In due time the third son got his six shillings and eight pence farthing, and put it safely away into his purse.

Then he got the bag from the King's private box. It was a small bag made of kid, and was tied with a string.

The third son, whose name, by the way, was Tumpy, untied the string and looked into the bag. It had nothing in it but a very queer smell. Tumpy sniffed and then he sneezed. Then he laughed, and laughed, and he laughed again without in the least knowing what he was laughing at.

'I shall never stop laughing,' he said to himself. But he did, after half an hour and two minutes exactly. Then he smiled for three minutes and a half exactly

After that he looked very happy; and he kept on looking so happy that people called him Happy Tumpy, or H.T. for short.

Next day H.T. set out to seek his fortune. He had tied up the bag again and put it into the very middle

The laughing dragon

of his bundle.

His mother gave him some bread and a piece of cheese, two apples and a banana. Then he set out with a happy face. He whistled as he went along with his bundle on a stick over his shoulder.

After a time he was tired, and sat down on a large milestone. As he was eating an apple, a black cat came along. It rubbed its side against the large stone, and H.T. stroked its head.

Then it sniffed at the bundle that lay on the grass. Next it sneezed, and then it began to laugh. It looked so funny that H.T. began to laugh too.

You must come with me, puss,' said H.T. The cat was now smiling broadly. It looked up at H.T. and he fed it. Then they went on side by side.

By and by H.T. and the cat came to a town, and met a tall, thin man. 'Hallo," he said, and H.T. said the same.

'Where are you going?' asked the man.

'To seek my fortune,' said H.T.

'I would give a small fortune to the man who could make me laugh.'

'Why?' said H.T. 'Because I want to be fat,' said the man, and people always say "laugh and grow fat".

'How much will you

give?' said H.T. 'Oh, five shillings and twopence half-penny anyhow,' said the man.

H.T. put down his bundle and took out his bag. He held it near the man's face and untied the string. The man sniffed and then he sneezed. Then he laughed for half an hour and two minutes. Next he smiled for three minutes

and a half.

By that time he was quite

fat. So he paid H.T. five shillings and two pence half penny. Then he went on his way with a smile and a wave of the hand.

That is good,' said H.T. 'If I go on like this I shall soon make my fortune.' He tied up his bag and went on again. The black cat walked after him with a smile on its face that never came off.

After an hour the two companions came to another town. There were a lot of men in the street, but no women, or boys, or girls. The men looked much afraid. H.T. went up to one of them. 'Why do you look so much afraid?" he asked politely.

'You will look afraid too, very soon,' said the man. 'The great dragon is coming again. It comes to the town each day, and it takes a man and a cheese. In ten minutes it will be here.

'Why don't you fight it?' asked H.T.

'It is too big and fierce,' said the man. 'If any man could kill it he would make his fortune.

'How is that?' said H.T. 'Well,' said the man, 'the King would give him a bag of gold, and make the Princess marry him.'

All at once H.T. heard a loud shout.

'The dragon is coming!' called a man who wore a butcher's apron. Then he ran into his shop, banged the door, and threw a large piece of meat out of the window. There was nothing in the street but H. T., the cat, and the piece of meat.

H.T. did not run away, not even when he saw the huge dragon come lumbering up the street on all fours. It crept along, and turned its head this way and that. Its face had a

terrible look.

Fire came out of its nose when it blew out. And three of the houses began to burn. Then it came to the meat. It sniffed and stopped to eat it. That gave H.T. time for carrying out his plan.

He took out his bag and untied the string. Then he threw it down before the dragon. On it came, blowing more fire from its nostrils. Soon the butcher's shop was burning. There was a noise like the noise from an oven when the meat is roasting.

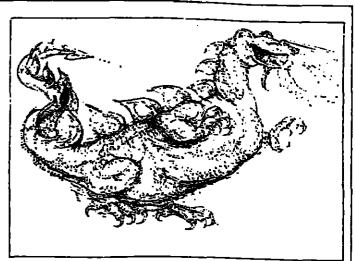
The dragon still came on. When it got up to the bag it stopped. It sniffed Then it sneezed so hard that two houses fell down flat. Next it began to laugh, and the noise was so loud that the church steeple fell into the street.

Of course it had stopped to laugh. It sat up on its hind legs and held its sides with its forepaws. Then it began to smile. And a dragon's smile, you must understand, is about six feet wide!

The dragon looked so jolly that H.T. did not feel afraid of it any more; not in the least. He went up to it and took one of its forepaws into his arm. The cat jumped on the dragon's head. And they all went along the street as jolly as sandboys.

A woman popped her head out of a high window. Take the first to the right, she said. '2nd the second to the lef Then you will come to the King's royal palace. You cannot miss

'Thank you very much,' said H.T: and he and the dragon and the cat smiled up at her. H.T. waved his hand. The dragon waved its other forepaw. And the cat waved its tail.



So they went on — down one street and then រាខ្មែងរ. another. At last they came to a big, open, green space in which stood a big palace. It had a wall round it with four large gates in it. At each gate there was a sen-

could be seen. H.T., with his friend the dragon, came smiling up to one of the gates. Above the gate H.T. saw someone peeping over the wall. 'He wears a crown,' he said to the dragon, 'so it must be

try box. But not one sentry

the King. The dragon kept on smiling. "Hallo!" cried the King. 'What do you want?'
'Hallo!' cried H. T. 'I want the bag of gold and

the Princess. But you have not killed the dragon,' said the King. 'I should think not,' said

H.T. 'Why, he is my friend. He is my very dear friend. He will not do any harm now. Look at him." The King stood up and

put his crown straight. It had fallen over one eye in his fright. The dragon went on smiling in a sleepy way. There was no fire in his nose now.

'But,' said the King, 'how do I know he will not begin to kill people again?' Well, said H.T. 'we will

make a big kennel for him and give him a silver chain. Each day I will give him a sniff from my empty bag. Then he will be happy all day and go to sleep every

Very well, said the King. Here is the bag of gold. You will find the Princess in the laundry. She always irons my collars. And you can have my crown as well. It is very hard and heavy. I do not want to be King any more. I only want to sit by the fire and have a pipe and play the gramophone.

So he threw his crown down from the wall. The dragon caught it on his tail and put it on H.T.'s head. Then H.T. went to the laundry and married the Princess right away.

And the dragon lived happily ever after; and so did the car; and so did everybody else, at least until they died.

I ought to tell you that King H.T. used the bag all his life to keep the dragon laughing. He died at the age of 301 years, one month, a week and two

The next day the dragon took a very hard sniff at the bag. And he laughed so much that he died of laugh-

So they gave the bag to the dentist. And when anyone had to have a tooth out he took a sniff. Then he laughed so much that he did not feel any pain. And when the tooth was out he was happy ever after, or at least until the next time he ate too many sweets.

Complete the faces



Why did the woman jump in the sea? To get a wave in her hair.

What is the best way to hunt bear? With your clothes off.

Why do scientists look into things twice? Because they re-search. What would you get if you

crossed a woodpecker with a carrier pigeon? A bird who knocks before it delivers a message. What can you hold without your hands?



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Truly amazing!

The first parking meters installed were those in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, in July 1935.

In Japan, social bathing is a relaxing event, and indoor 'pools' are really huge bathtubs.

Male mosquitoes do not bite, only the females.

A mouse cannot live in a very cold country as it would lose too much heat from its skin. In a really cold place the smallest mammal is a fox.

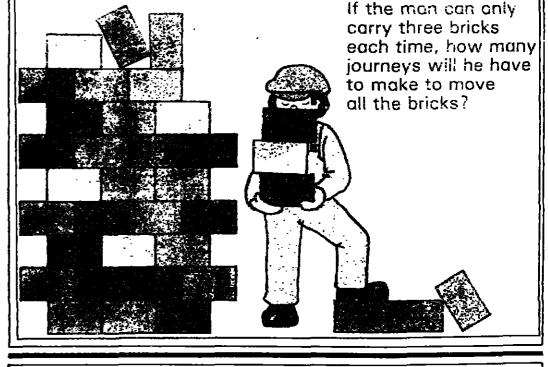
'The' is the most frequently used word in the English language and 'I' is the word most often used in English

Among the Loango people of Africa, no young man may speak to a girl unless she is in the presence of her mother.

The oldest industry in New York is the fur trade started by the Dutch in 1615.

Bands of zinc have been nailed round the bottom of coconut palms in Tahiti. This is to keep rats from climbing into the treetops and eating the coconuts.

There are more than half a million saunas in Finland, and on average Finns take a sauna bath once a week.



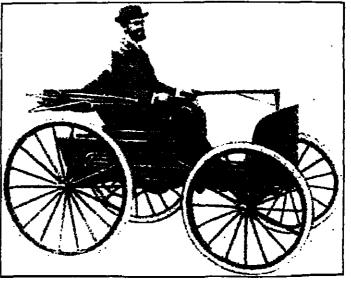
The why of science

Why the first cars had solid tyres

When a technical discovery is made and something new is produced it is based logically upon ideas and materials which already exist.

This is what happened to the motor car. At first it was really a coach in which the engine replaced the horse as the motive power. It had the same shape, the same hood, the same getting in and out and, of course, the same wheels and the same solid tyres. The reason for the solid

tyres is simply that pneumatic tyres had not yet been invented. They were invented by John Boyd Dunlop, a Belfast veterinary surgeon, in the year 1887. It was a rubber tube containing compressed air for the purpose of mitigating the shocks the



vehicle received on the roads which in those days were particularly rough. Pneumatic tyres were first invented for bicycles but cover, the same steps for were very soon fitted to every type of vehicle, except, of course, trains.

> Why James Watt was a pioneer of the industrial age
> The steam engine originated in England early in the eighteenth century.

At that time two patents were taken out for atmospheric pressure steam engines but their use was confined to pumping water and they had a number of working faults.

It was left to James Watt, a Scottish instrument maker, to perfect the steam engine by a device which was both simple and decisive: the condenser ensured that the steam engine could continue to run without loss of pressure. After much experiment Watt patented his improvements in 1769.

From that moment the most varied applications of steam engines to industrial machines became possible.

In 1781 Watt built the first large scale steam engine which he later improved still further.

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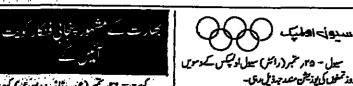
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اب تک آپ کے گئے وروازہ تعی طور بریر تھالب و کچ کل جائے کے لیک مشاری آپ کے خیال میں پیور کے کے مل موجا تھا اب آپ کو ال علمات على دواره أو كرناوات كار كى وقت على الحضة س كرو كري - يكفارد فراق دار س كام



ی آب ای در داریال بخوا بوری کرد کی ایری کرد کی می این کا محماران کی این کا کا می این کا می این کا می این کا می بات رب که آب من قدر کایت شعاری سے کام في المستحين - والمت حمل أب كوام وحي والمين وا ك يكن وديات يمي مس بوكي يش كا آب كوور قل



برج بوزا く シタット・ じょうと・ シ

* آج آپ اکتائی شاش جاش ریں کے ليكن خود كوكسى فريسيش جللته كرليس ولدبازي يس لوگول مصوعد مجید کریں۔ گاڑی چلاتے ہوئے الارداودرائيرول عصوصادرين كحاورلوكدار



بینید... این دمد داریان بدی کرنے کی کوشش کریو- آب کوچیر مرکز دیکھے کی مخت مردوت پیش آئے کی اس لے تو کو بیکتے کاموقع ندیں۔ دوش كري كين نياده تمادية والى نيس زياده روش خيل بنيں۔



* ۔۔ او کے کیا جانا ضروری ہے اس کے لئے موجوده مودت طل تمايت منامب بيد الين على معلات بر منامب وقت مرف كرير - اسيخ واسخ سعة بعكس الد معمل باقل برمت زياده وقت مرف ت کریں۔ زیادہ جماری سے کام کریں۔





کیونسوں نے تیز کرلیا۔ اس انوام کے بھلے سے اختاف کرتے ہوئے لولل کھٹل کے لیک دکن نے کھٹی سے لاھلق تظيمايشي حك كاروك تفام كملت سعاليحل كي بين الاقواى عظیم ' کملاتی ہے اور اس کے مرداہ ایک امر کی اور ایک احتياد كرفي حي إيداس يناروس كى با واست يس شريد كرا مورية واكثري - مودية واكثر يفجيني غاز وقسد بايوارد گرم بحث ہوئی تھی۔ لين اوسلو آئے تھے تواضي موورت ماہر طبيعات آ عدے قبل من مكليا ورقرى وريدة كاكر "خواه مى مى قرديا هيم كويدا وارد وياجدة مكين تركين كول كول اس برا متراض شرور كري كد اوراضام مجوديا كيافها يافلا سظروف کے ظاف مم مل مید طور پر صد لینے کے شدید الزامات كاجواب وبتايزاتها يادرب كدآ تدرك تاورف کوئی ۵۵،۱۹ میں اس کائونل اور در اجابطا ہے۔ حارف حقق اندائی کی مم کے کے عالی ضرت دکتے میں چنا تجے اسیں جب اس اوار در دیا کیا تو سوے دین کے سرکاری درائع اس كافيد لووتت ي كرسكا ب. " اوسلوم لويل الشي یے وار کے دار کر جیب مور درب نے احتراف کیاہے کہ كين ك بين اركان في الني عن دع مان وال الماغ في النام وائرون وشي " ت تعير كما تما اور خاروف کو اوسلوجات دوک ویا کیاتها ۱۹۵۹ء کے افعالمت و تقید کی ب کین اموں نے کماک اس طرح کی تقید مجی جمی حمی کے اجلاس کے مرے کی جارد یواری کے دوران اس وتت تجرشور و نوبا بوا جب امن كاب انعام امرائل کے وزیر اعظم مناہم بین اور معرے صدر اور سادات كويمية إو معلب يروسخفا كرف اور مترق وسطى جب موئیان سے تعلق رکھنے والے کروڑی اور من قيام من تركي ان كى مُرسَسْر و يحسل على والانات يحموجد الفرية وطي في ا ١٩٠١م عن ويل العالمة میا۔ اس دفت بین مصرین کاخیال تھا کہ بیکن اور سادات کو 🔑 انتظام کی وصبت مجمور کی تھی اس وقت عالمیا ان کی ہے برايارة كل ازوت وياكياب كوكراس وقت تك من قائم فوايش مي ري موكى كداس كان انعالت كواس قدر

نسمی ہوا تھا' بھن لوگوں کا خیال تھا کہ یہ ایوارڈ صرف الور اہمیت اور توجہ حاصل ہو۔ فزکس ' کمیشری' اروپات' اوب

لین اب تک جنے نیل اس انعام دے مجنے بیر ان میں میں لیمن آن میں سے می کو مجی اس کے نیل انعام کے بعثی ب نے زیادہ اعتراض ۱۹۷۳ء کے ایوارڈ پر کھے گئے تھے۔ ایمیت حاصل نس ہے۔ اس کی دجہ تراید کی حاذ عات اور جب بنری منبراور فاؤک تو کو برس می دیت ام کے ملح خطرات میں۔ اسٹ ک رال کے مطابق "اس کا اتحام ك معلم يروستخط كرني برنول اس الوارة ويا كياس مب ت زياده منازه انعام بي اور اس مونا مجى معلدے کے دو برس بعد هداء على عولى دعت مام ير جائيا"

ترکی ریفرندس

ىمى ._

ملین لوگ رائے دی کے مجاز جس اور ووٹ دیتا کیک قانونی ذ^م وارى ب انونون كماك قوم فاوة ال كور يغريدم كاجواب ننی میں ویا ہے محروہ افتدار میں رہنے پر معربیں محمران مد تك ملت كول كر يك بي- آج آشر بليان اليين كومفر

لینڈ بارٹی کے حکام کا کمنا ہے کہ اوزال کی محومت سے دستکش ہو جائے کی بار بار وحمکیاں اٹبائی ووٹول س لیک سے برادیا ۔ امس مجھ سمے مدران کو کھلاڑوں کو اضاف کاموجب بنیں مرکاری میلی ویژن نے بتایا که ریفریش وار نک دی مجی اور جار کو محفر عرصے کیلئے تھے ۔ ثمال دیا كودنول كى ٨١ فيمد كني ش ١٥ فيمدرات ومدكان في میا۔ ایک موقع براکی کے تواند کی طلاف ورزی کرتے ہوئے۔ اسین کے گول کمپر کو مختر وقت کے لئے انگال دیا میا۔ فى اور ٣٥ فيمد ف المات على جواب ديا ب الوديش كا الرام ب كدمك من افراط زرى شرية ك ٨٤ بعد تك يني ا آسريليل فواحد كول ٥٦ وي منت بر بناشي كاو فرت كيا-وافے کاسراول کی اقتصادی الیسوں کے سرے۔ مغربي جرمني في موده وينين كوك اوس مرتبه برايا . اوليك كى بالى يوزيش كے التے ياكتان كاسوعت يوكن سے اور بقیں ۔ امرکی تحفظ بمارت كارجنائ عدمقابله بوكاجكد وكرمقا باسان ادر بندن کوچی تظرر کھتے ہوئے صدر کین نے علاقہ عل استے كينيدًا عن اور جنول كريا ادر كينيا عن موسيط أن ديكر مقالون من كمندااور جنوني كوريا كانتج أيك أيك سع برابر ربا

دوستوں اور اتحادیوں سے مشورہ کے بعد آئل بینکروں کو تعظ ویے کے فیصلہ تھر بھائی کے ہم اگر کمی مینکر کو خطرہ لاحق بواق مریک مناسب اقدام کرے گاور اس مقدر کے لئے بینج بواق مریک مناسب اقدام کرے گاور اس مقدر کے لئے بینج یں مطلب فیرسز موجود ہیں کی اور خلیمیں آزاد جہاز رانی کے امر کی موقف میں کوئی تبدیلی میں بوئی وہائث باوس کے تر شان نے کماکہ عواق ایر آن جگ بندی کے بعدے امر کی كام ير آئ يغير مى الزارانس يحوال س محمود كى إرجىددارجادول يركل ملوس كيا كيل عاديم إن اليسى م ملیار تدلی کررے بن اور سے جے خطرہ لکا جائے گاہم معین ای موجود کی بر نظر الی کرتے دیں کے و فترد قام کے حام نے تایا کہ اگر تطریانی کی بالیسی سے معوب بر مل شروع بو کیانو تلیم سی اسر کی جمازوی کی تعداد کم کر دی جائے گی شرق و سطی عمر امریک سک ۲۰ جنگی جمازیر جن عمر سے ۲۱ طلیس میں اور شد ۱۹۸ء سے اب مک طلیم س ۸۹ آمریشنوں کو تحظافراتم كياب

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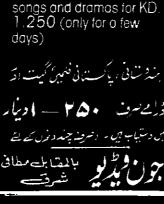
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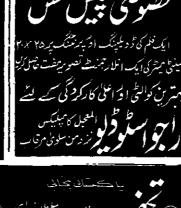
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بيلي كان ٥٥ دراد يم كورسه فاي ب يعفيل كيل مين سے میے کے وقت فن تغیر کا 44448 پر ماہو کری۔ (r- ceir- -r)

ايك عدد بنواجسين بميرى لاتسنس بنام تحدمني علن ولدمؤلوني ہوئے شون ،بطاقہ دنی اور دومرے *کا فذات تقے خیطان جات* يس كم بوكل ب شفير ون ا473043 يا ياك مرمد برقل برا طادع وي - اطارع فين والمحكو 20 دبيًا وانعام -(4- 44144-A)

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ساءة مرسم أيلس ميتشاداد روب جان بال شال مير-والتاثيك نكولاس فحاؤني كح خدصوصى مستشرير

نیل کمنے کو آس بات کا پورا احساس ہے کہ یہ اتعام جس کی البت اس سال تین لاکھ ای بڑار والر ہے ' اتعام ماصل كرف والي كويين الاقواى توجد كامر كرينا ديما باور اے ایا کام جاری رکتے میں دد گار تابت ہو آب۔ اساک موم میں فوئل قاؤ عرفین کے مینجک ڈائر کر اسٹ ی وال کتے ہیں کہ "اس احام او کول کوائی مرضی کے مطابق كام كرّ نے كے لكے ليك إيث قارم عاصل جوجا اے شكا آرکسیٹ اسٹ تواہد لیے و بلیسا کوی کو یکے ان لوگوں کواس انعام سے مراقد مددی ۔ " موشد مال کرستاریا کے صدد اوسکا امریاس کو وسلی امریک میں محدول جگ فتم کرنے کے بارے عل ایک جائنداد معد اس چل كرف ريادادد وكيافادس موقع عام طوريد كماكيكي اس طرح فادا كواي كوتزا سلب سيني والرين فواد كولي مى اسب مول الديد محافى جنيس برسالي فيل اس انوام ك اسيداريل ك ے ہے کہ یہ کی کم کم کے سابی عامد کے قت اوار المام علی پلے سے کھند کچھ ک کن ل جایا گرفی می اس باغيول كواراد كرف رصدر يكن كمدر طماني والمياء مخزشته مال دمبري ادملومي الوادع يبضى تعزيب يصفعاب كمنة

بوے ار اس نے کماکہ "ہم اپنے اس اس معوب کی ناکائی دوشت قبس کر عمل کے "اس کے بادیوواس فط عى جك يرسور جارى الله آرك بث ووجنين ١٩٨٨ء على الوارد ويأكياتها آج بحي حولي افريقة كي سفيدة ام اقلتي كومت ك خلاف مدحد سسب اللي مفس موجوه بین اور اس انعام کی برولت ان کی بین الاقوامی حثیت اور شرت عن اضاف بوا ب- بوليند كي حردور أيمن "سوليذري " كر رشما و بليسا كو ١٩٨٣ ع شرامن كا فيل انعام وياكيا قدمان بش ملك بش برالول كاسلسله دوامہ شروع ہوا قولینڈ کی حکومت کو و بلیسا کے ساتھ ذاکرات کرنا پڑے۔ لیکن یہ مشمور مزدور بندائن کی ہوتین پر یا بینی لگاوی گئی ہے اپنا اضام وصول کرنے نہ آسکے كونك انس علوه قاك بالنذى مكوت اسس اس يعد دواره فك عن داخل فيس بوندت كي - الوارد ك رقم ح پلینڈ کی حکومت نے ویلیس کو دمول میں کرنے واج حالیدرسول على جم الوارة رسب ناده كازعريدا مواده ۱۹۸۵م على غير معروف ي تظيم كوديا كياتحاديد

اس کے ملے میں دنیا کا ب سے بدا امواز "فیل ترین عایا اور اب اس کے پٹی تقر مرف چار افراد رہ مے اليارة " كي ويا بنا جائ الما كافيد كرنا وراصل يوا يي - ١٨ مركو آخرى فيدل و كادرا على دواس كاعلان كردياجائ كار بھاری واکھیلنے کے متراوف ب اس مادے آخر می جب نول محیق اوسلوے ۱۹۸۸ء کے فیل اس ایوارڈ ماصل برى ماتنل كماين سميان مى كى كايما مجود لينى در ميانى ماد كرف والفيايش متعيدون كبارك على كرفيوا لي ك ٢٠١١ ما ١٠٠٠ ما الماس كر ي قوامكان كي ب كداس امریکہ اور سووت بینین کے درمیان مطبوہ پر و سخط کرنے عايدؤزى ١٨ ماله آريخ كرومرة متازعه الوارؤزى ك سليفش امركى مددروالدركس إدر مود الد يكاتبل فرست الكادران افدوكا عريه فدشاعي كانعام ماصل كرفوالي المارة على الماري والمد كرد كلى كوراج ف كونامود كواكيا كياب فيل محفى ك اجلاسل كل على ما الماليات و على ود مجى إدرى بول كي يانس ليل محلى كولك قريق كاردوال كالمراس حرى واردادى كام لياما ما مود زرید کے مطابق مرجود اینی دور بی اس کاسوال بداجذاتی اس سال بیشک مقاسیل می میں زیادہ ب الدو

نسی دین کازے کرے ہونے کا قطرہ بیشہ مرجود رہتاہ سال اب تک قامیں اور آئے ہیں۔

ادر خطره مجي ريتا ب كرافعام حاصل كرف والا شيرو فوقا السمرة الميدارول كي ومحقر فرست والى محى السير حدافراد کے علاق دنیا بحری سے تظیموں کو محی اس انعام کے تم بون کے بعدامیں مل ریودائی داترے۔ اس مال باج رحى كميشي كمات عدافراد كى لى كيام وكيا كياب ان تحليول عن اقام حمد عالى اداره چرزی فرست دی جسین قبل اس ایدار فرکسلت بارد کیا کی محت اور دیکی عماحت "مالیفن آری" مال بیل-قدا کشی نے اس می زیردست کاف چھاٹ کر کے "مختر افزادی طور پر ریکن اور گوراچ ف کے علاوہ جنوبا فریق کے



عقيمانت الناك السبب تسيم كافدش بداكر دياب منول بورت عن أيك وكانداد آدين في في كاكر بم بدعت منظم بن كردوزي دول كراني كُ تحت و وي الله عرومال كى هاند جلكى من لبناني عوام كى زندنی کا جوین بھی ہے بول کوسکول لانے لے جانے اور عمل کی دیگر مرکزمیاں و کاخیں ' بینک اور دیگر کارویار ہے کو الم محيد ويحيل جعرات عديق بغدك أخرير شريل نے خانہ جنکی دوارہ شروع بونے کے خطرہ کے بیش ظرو حرا وحر خريداري كر كالثيائية خورني كاذ خيره كر لياته ابعي تك كسى بيروني مك في لبتان كى كمي بعي حكومت كوتشليم نعيل كيا كيول كرسفارتي طود ير حكومت ضي ، لك كوصليم كياجالات مسالی پرواششنول نے کماہ کسیروت میں انداری رس ثی بات جیت کے لئے مغریب ایک امری ایکی شام کے وورس ير آفوالات يمي معلوم مواب كرسليم الحدي

حمليت أتشى كي جلتك.

جَدِ ارجِعُنانُ فِي يَنْمِاكُو إِنْ يَجَالِك مِي اوا ا

بقیسی: بش دو کاکس سامنا تھا اور روائق مصافحہ کے علاوہ وونوں کے ورمیان كر جوشى كاعقربت كم تعلد ذوكاكس فيش كواموان كونترا اسكيشل رد كيدا جكريش فان كبرل موت كدوركى ئى بليدكى اور كماكه ود خرورت سى كميس زياده ليمل ين ڈو کائس نے کما کہ سر کاری توکری کاایالیا کیری رکھنے کے یادجود بش نے ایران کو اسلی قردشت کرتے سے معاللہ کی یں دو باس سے بیان از کیا۔ پہلے کہل ویش نے اس کا حظوری دیئے میں آبل نہ کیا۔ پہلے کہل ویش نے اس کا جواب دیئے میں مولوس کی گئی جب دو کا کس نے اسے ان کی کروروگ مجھتے ہوئے مسلس دیا پاتوانسوں نے تعلق کے طور پہلیان لیکٹر کھا کہ آگر ڈو کا کس دیکس کے دور حکومت میں معالی من ے حفاق کام ایمول کو تعلیم کر لیں تووہ ان ودوا تعات کی درداری مرلینے کوتیار میں جن شرایران کوترامکیشل کے علاوہ باعاد کے حزل فردیا کا صدیمی شال ہے جس کے ليتروكاكس فريكن تكومت برالزام لكاياكرو منشيت كا ومدراكر فواليلي كومت تعادن كر قدب يراث

نے کماکدان کی حکومت سی نے نور بھی فرد جرم عائد کی۔

کے آمادہ میں انہوں نے حرد کما کہ توی فلطینی کونسل کا | تقریر کرتے ہے آ رہ ہیں۔ 1947ء . شی انہوں نے آری اجلاس اکتور کے وسامی الجرائر میں ہو میجوان کی تی تھ اسلار الله متحدہ کے خصوص اجلاس سے مجی خطاب كے مطابق ٢٠ كين جارى رب كا انسول في ان خرول كى تردیدی که آزادریاست کے قیام کی تجویز پر قلطینی قیادت معتم بانول في كماك اس سلار مود افقال دائدا ا باك إدراكر اخلاف بول يى والميرالجوائر من حل كرايايات كار

بفیں: _ ہمیروہمیو كى مالت كوقدد ع محترماً إلى الجكددومر فيراس مي نبن کی رفار کم پرنے اور عظر کی خریر بزاروں افراد نے موسلادھار بارش میں تعرشلی کے باہردعائی انگیں۔ اب یہ کماجارہا ہے کہ شنٹاہ قائم کیسری بتاییں۔ ان كييت عنون جارى مواتقااور واكثرافس دوباره خون دیے پر فور کردے ہیں۔ شلی حکام نے ان فرول کی مراقت سے افکار کیا گئی ہو ہے بھی مالے سے احراز کر رے بیں ک درامل حقیقت کیا ہے آیک متاز جاپانی اخبار در کیک جاپانی خررسال ایکٹی کیدو نے اطاقہ طور پر تار

كمانى عن شنشادى ميد موت كى فيراد خاد عرك ما تد پیش کر دی. بعرش ندکوره اخبار کو اچی دوسری اشاعت عمد صفدت کی خیرشائع کرنا پزی. بنیں:۔ خارجہ پالیسی ین کی مغرب نواز پاکستان سے روائیتی کی جارت کے ماتھ یا کتان کے کئیدہ تعلقات کی وجہ سے ددچند ہو تی ہے جوسويت وخن كاسفيط طيفسب ١١٣ بريل كومعابره جنيوابر وسخفون كمادحود جس ش أيك أو كديمه و برار سويت وي كى واليسى في إلى افعانستان عن جلك جارى بي كستان على الإزيش كى رمنما به نظير بمنومي جوا تقلبات مي يأنسان بشياز ارنى جيت كى مورت ملكى وزير اعظم بن على بين كم يكل

ین کروه جنیاسلوه بر معنی اور منب سیانتیارت عمل در آمده دی در عمل کایک دو براسای کردید و انتظامت آے آداے سال دراعظم جوتج کاے جیک سلم لیک کا دومراهمد ملک کے جاروں صوبانی وزوائے اعلی کی مرکردگی اوران کی کابینہ سابق صدور وزرائے اعظم اور دیگراعلی مام کا س و مدد ماء کی پالیسول کو آعے بعدائے کا عد سے اجلاس طلب کرنے وال ب آک ماکل اون کے طاف ہوئے ہے استخابات میں شریک ہورہاہے اور جو تیج کے علاوہ دومرے و حراب كرا و حرافواز شريف محى افغان كلدين کی مرر ی جادی د کھنے کا علان کر بھے میں مارج پالسی کے ابري كاخال بكرامركي إكتاني تعلقات م كى ترقى كا زاده المحمد اسلام آباد في مجائد المطنن يرب *ڌ ا*ڙلہ

میج کے وقت محسوس کئے مکھے کئی سیکٹر تک جاری دے اور لوگ فوقودہ ہو کر محرول سے قال آئے تو کھ اور اس کے مفاقل علاقی می بینے محسوس کے مح جس ے عارش جور لے لکیں محر کول طال و ال نقصان نس ہوا جا پان کے زازا كامركزتي كلدودسندرك عنى تا ياكياب ريجن حور من قد حق مقام عابت بوسكايد انول في كماك

ہمان کی کامایوں کوسلام کرتے ہیں۔ امری مدرف نفرا کوتے یم انسانی حقق کی مسلس مجرتی ہوئی مور تحال کی زمت کی۔ انہوں نے سوویت بوئن سے وسفی امریک کے اس تازم کے خاتے عل مدد دینے کی ایل کی اور کما کہ وہ سنيذ نيست كومت كوارول ذالرك بتعيارون اوركوله بارود کی قرابی دوک دے۔ معدد کین کی جزل اسکی شرب الدواجی تقریم می کیونکسی تندوی شرائن کے بعد کی معیاد بودی ہو ربی ہے۔ برل اسمل ے ان کاب مالی طاب تمان ١٩٨٢ء عبرسال جزل اسميلي كاجلاس شراعتان

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بقین:۔ محارت سالپ مجے میں۔ ٹالی ریاست جول محمیر اور حاجل بردیش کے

دریان نے می سااب کی صورت حال عدا کردی ہے اور مخلف حادثات من ١٨٠ افراد بلاك موسي مي سي بنجاب ك ۸عدسات کودلاکه افراد سالب می گرید اور تین اور برارون ایکورتر پر محلی میلی صلی تباه برگی بین به بناب کے گور تراکس الس رسائے کما کہ تصمان بے جم ہوائے کم اہمیاس کا عرازہ لگامشکل ہے۔ سلاب بخاب ے با فسرجا لندحرا ومنعى شراد حيات من واحل مو كياب اور يجاس بزار افراد مناثر موعي بي - كورز فينايا كدلوكون كومناته علاقيل سند تكال كر محقوظ مقالمت يرلا ياجار إب روني اور یاہ گاہ میا کرنا ہمارے لئے بوے سائل ہیں۔ جالزدھرا لدھیلند اور امر تسر کے درمیان دیل مروس معلل موگئ ہے۔

بقیں :۔ کائل پر حملہ یا یاتھا کہ دونوں ملک ایک دوسرے کے اعدونی معاملات میں ماعلت قیم کریں مے جس پر ابریل میں پاکسیان اور افعاستان في وسخوا كالتي يح جكة موت وين اورام كمد مناس کے طور پر معلوہ پر دیجو کئے تھے کائل اور اسکو کی جاتب ہا گئے گئے ہے۔
جانب ہے پاکستان پر مسلس الوام حائد کیاجا ارہا ہے کہ وہ باغیوں کو تربیت دے کر افغانستان پر حملوں کے لئے بھیجا ہے اور باغیوں کو پاکستان کی جانب مسلسل اسلوبیالٹی کیاجارہا ے گزشتروز اسلام آباد س باخرد رائع نے رائٹر کوتا یا کہ یاکستانی فوج کے افسرافعانستان کے اعد مجلدین کو تربیت دے رہے ہیں اور حملوں میں ان کی مدد کر رہے ہیں باکستان کی طرف سے ان الزالات کی مسلس زدیدی جاتی ہی ہے۔

بفین بر سری لنکا بعده شال اور مشرق علاقيل يس الك وطن ك قيام ك الح جدف حد كررب بي الركسة معالمه المن كم تحت بيم في من برار عارتی فرج کی سیجود کی کے بھی طاف ہیں۔ 12

لمايال فتعيت اور سابق وزير وقاع جزل تن او سكالك قريق مأتقى نے بتایا کہ ان کا توی متحدہ محاذیرائے جمہورے جلدی فرج کے قائم کر دوالیش کمیش کے پاس ا تھات کے لئے اچر جنریش کرائے گاور پارلیجٹ کی تمام کا ماشتوں پر ليخاميدار كمزاكرے كانموں فالك ملى فان الرويوش ینا یا کہ البویش اب اعلیٰ کیش کے ضوابط پر حمل کر کے گی۔ تیاری کرری سباس ورائع سے اس خدشہ کے تحت کہ فون ثيب ك جلت بي الوديثن كاس اقدام كي تعميل مالة ے اجتاب کیایاورے کہ مجلم مضاور یش مکت اور کردہ رہنماؤی نے فوج کے محت افغات کے اضفاد کو مرود کرویا تما آج ر گون کی سرکوں پر خامو شی دی حین فوجیوں کی قائر ک كاسلسله جادى بديد في يور تميان ك مطابق دارا كومت اورى كرومر علاقيل شريد ١٩ افراد فاتركك كر كميانك كر دية كي بين جنيس لوث الدكرف وال قرار وإكياب على شرمة الديم كر فاديل كاسلد بى جارى ب اور الوديش في متدكفوا في النائدين دع إلى

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تند ملاقیں میں قسطینیوں نے عام بڑال کے سلطے میں و کائیں اور کاروبار بندر ہے۔ بڑال عرب تیدیوں سے کجتی ك السار كيلي كم كي حي- ان عن سے يعتروه لوگ بين جنيس مقدمه جلاع بغير جيلول عن يندر كما كياب- منوف علاقے من كرفحولود عام برآل اس مرتع ير بيونى جب بيشتر امرائيل در مي توار پر تصليل كے سبب بند تعا۔ بقين _ يام عرفات

جدى ركد كر مامل كى بدري النام كت فررسال الجنى فائدن کے دوالہ سے لیک قبریش کماکہ اسر موقات کے ایک میٹر مشرومام او شرف نے چش کوئی کی ہے کہ استظامات کے اجلاس میں آزاد قلطینی ریاست کے قیام کے اعلان کا فيملد كياجات كالنول فأتدك ثائسز س الثرود على بو آج شائع مواكماك بيد فيعلد معرني كنارك أورغرة شي المحاتى مرك كي عمل طور برسول افراني كي مورت القداد كركين برے تعید فر علاقہ میں وسع بانے راس طور محل موات ۔ کے آغاز کامو کا کر جر بسل و بعض شیس آئی افول نے کما ك فلسطين ٢٩ متبر ١٩٢٥ء من حقور شده اقوام متحده كي قراد داد ۱۸۱ کے تحت اسرائیل کے ساتھ براس طور پر ہے کے

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جویرانی کرے گاس کواتای بدلہ لے گا جتنی اس نے برائی کی بولی اور جو نیک عمل كرے كانواد و، مرد بو ياغورت الشرطيك ،ووه مومن ايس سباوك جنت من داخل بول مرجهان كوب حساب رزق دياجات كا-(سورة المومن آيت ٣٠)



حديث نبوئ

حضرت ابو تماده مصروایت ہے رسول الله صلى الله عليه وملم في فرايا جس في تنگدست کو ملت دی باایا حق اس کو معاف کر ویا تو اللہ تعالی قیامت کے دن تختیوں سے اس کو نجات دے گا۔ (مملم' مشكوة)



تقل ووانش 🗆 ایک فخص کی تحریرے نقل کروتوب م میں " تمالیا ہے دو کی نقل کرو تو وكسن ميزنر

شعروادب کچے تو ثبوت خون تمنا کمیں ہے دل تمہی تو آنکو کو بحر جانا چاہئے

آج کون 🔻

۱۶۱۵ء..... کیڈی آر بیلاسٹورٹ کالٹدن ٹلور مير انقال بو كما_ ۱۸۵۳ء.....انيلاننگ اوشين لائز كے ايك جماز ارکٹیک کے ڈوسنے سے تمن سوافراد موت کاشکار ہو گئے۔ ۱۹۲۳ء..... جرمتی میں مارشل لاء نافذ کر ویا ١٩٣٩ء وأربان جنك عظيم دوم مين ١٩

دن کے مقابلے کے بعد جرمنی کے مامنے بتصيار ذال ديئ ۱۹۳۰ء..... جرمنی اٹلی اور جایان نے کیک وس ماله نوجی اور اقتصادی مطبہے پر وستخط

۱۹۳۵ء.... بندوستان مس مرکزی اسمیلی کے التخابات من اكثر سيس كاتحريس اورمسلم ليك ۱۹۵۹ء..... جایان کے جزمرے ہونتو میں

طوقان سه مدافراد بالك بوشخ ١٩٦٢ء يمن من في في الترارية فندكر ليا اور کرنل عبداللہ الصالح وزیرِ اعظم ہے۔ ١٩٧٨ء فرانس نے برطامیہ کے بورنی مشتركه منذى من شموليت ير فالفت كي ـ ١٩٧٣ء سوويت يوتين في زهن كي رار ر فضائی راکٹ چھوڑا جس کے دو ندو کاسمو ٹائن تھے۔

كرنسي كيزخ کوتی رینار کے مقالبے میں نمیر مکلی لرنسیول کی قیت حسب ذی_{ل رخ}ی ر

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(فيترار) ۲۳۰ - ۲۹ (فيترار) ۲۵۰ – ۱۵۱ اومانی ریال

ريديويروكرام ٠٠ _ من افتاحي اعلان ١ ـ ٢ علادت قرآن

كريم ١٠ ٤ بمترين قبل ١١ ـ ٤ يروكرام كا خلاصہ ۱۷۔ کا گئے ۲۰۰ کا خبارول کے تراشے ۲۰۰ ریڈیو کلب ۲۰-۸ خبریں ۱۵-۸ آخ کا تقاب ۲۰-۸ گانے ۲۵-۱۵ عربي سيكيية ٣٠ ٨ جمال نما ٥٠٠ ١٩ قتام



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ذیمو کریٹ کے آئل ڈو کاکس نے گزشتہ رات انتقال مم ہے۔ دوران نیلی دین برؤیزہ کھنے کے دومباحثہ ہوئے ہیں۔ اس

بھے نگل ویژن مباحثہ میں دورو ہاتھ کے اور ایک دو مرے پر سلسلے کی کہلی بحث تھی جس میں محافیوں کے ایک میٹل۔

الرامات كي بر جمائر ك علاوه بحبتيال كيس اور دليب فقر ، وونول سي سوالات يوجه اور كما تعاكر يد بحث سي زياده

يست كيد وون كي طرفء ورون كي دائ كالتفار يلي كافرنس بي أو توازي بل ري بي مباحث ويك

کیاجادیا ہے آگرچدوولوں کیک دوسرے پر مبقت حاصل کرنے فارسٹ بیندر کی شی ہوا۔ دونوں امیدواران کا بدی ملا آمنا کے دھوے کررہ ہیں۔ امر کی صوررونا اڈریکن نے مباحث بنانی دوسرے صنعه بر

مریکے کے مدادتی امیدماد تاثب مدد جارج بٹن زائمیں)او اٹیکل ڈوکاکس کے دومیان مرا بینے کا ایک بمنظر

جديد مغربي موسيق كے شوقين كيلئے

دبل میں پروگرام

نی دیل - ۲۱ رستم (آپ) جدارتی نیوانوں نے مائیل جیکس کوشیں دیکھا ہے لیکن دہ اس کی لیکنی خاص لقل

كرياتي بين جديد مغربي موسيقى كرسياوى كوروك أج

دیکیوچی رقومیکهپلهمادایم باکی اور

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دنياك سلكون كاساته ذيادتي

ع كست السيس ؟

وتتبأوتي

کرے کا اعلان کیا ہے

چونک چنانیه

کیلفورنیا۔ ۲۸ متبر (اپ) امریک می صدارتی کے بعدائے نائب مدرجاری کش کوفیل کرے شایاش دی کہ

ہے کہ مرحوم مدد ضیاء الحق کی خارجہ یالیسی سیلہ نومبر کے

الثهبت كيعريمي وأررب كاليوى ايطريس كالك

مكين- انهول في افغانستان اور تليج عرب من اس كهائم

کام کرنے پر سیکرٹری جزل اقوام حتمدہ جادئر ویریز ڈی

إ كي مستقل حرائي تحل اور مضيط قوت ارادي كي

كارخ بدلاان لوكول كے خيالات براثرا عراز موماً و كھائى دے

رباب جوسول تومرك التخليت مح بعد ياكتان كي قيادت

شمالی مے پاکتان کے مستقبل کے فار جد تعلقات معمولی

انتيارے موجوده رائے سے بہت سكتے بيں جس كا تحمار تومير

کا تقلب چنندا لے رہے سین سدد فیاء مروم کے اہم پالیم اصول بالی دے کی اس کی جاتھ ہے جن می امریکسے

دری بھارت اور سوونت ہونئن سے تھجاؤ اور عرب و مگر

ممالک ہے یک جق شامل ہے یا کمتان کے مدو غلام اسحاق فان نے جنبوں نے ضیاء الحق کے بدواند ار سنسان چھیلے او

أيك يريس كافرنس من اعلان كياكه مارى فارجه يالسي دنيا

میں تعلیم شدہ ہے اور ہم ان پالیسی مقاصد کی بیروی عاری رسمی مے خارجہ امور ش پاکستان کے تفکر کامب سے بدا

ا جامر کی و فرخاد یہ کیک افسرے کما کہ خیج میں چھروں اور حمان مارلین دفن واٹر نے کما کہ صور ریکن نے یہ المسلم کے وقت میں کو المان کے فیصلہ سے میں جماز اس کے اعلان سے خطاب کرنے میں کر ایا تھا ۔ اور ان کی مقاطرت کے امریکی موقف میں کوئی تبدیلی میں آئے گا السین میں کی دونوں کیا جائے گا اور اس کے آغاز کا اعلان نس كياجائ كغنز والمري كمأكه عراق اران جنك

ين اب خطاب كيور آج اعلى حفرت ايركوت النظيري وبكر ممالك كرجماؤل عدالةات كرفوا ليتصوري انگاه امریک کی جانب اطلان کیا گیاہے کو افغان امریکی اور امریک عربی جاز تحصوص طلاح کی مدد سے اعدد سے بہر بدار اکل فیکروں کو تحقادے کی السور فرطانی کر رہا | ہوئے جمالدوں کی حاصت کرتے رہیں کے وہائشہاؤس کے



عوام فيحكومت برعثم افعادكا اظهاركر ياسي سيان فيمرل والونوكا موقف

عيودي كمكنتى كے مطابق اوزال كے جاعنت نے اعصاء فيصرو ولي حاصل كئے ، ٣٥ فيصد لگ وهندگان نے مخا نفت ك كماكر اعظال كوكافي ممايت حاصل تسي بين اوروه أيك اي فض میں جن بر محروسہ نمیں کیاجاسکا افظال نے ریفروم میں عوری اعداد و تیر کے مطابق اعدا فصد ودے حاصل کے جبكه كزشته نومير كے عام انتظاب من انتين ١٩٥٣ ووث

امکان ہے بڑھ کرے کہ اعلے سال کے اعرر سویت بیشن

ت بین البراعظی باسک میزاکول بر بندش کے مطیدے پر

وستخلاد ومائي . جزل المبلى بالقتاحي خطاب شرو كمن

زمری سیس اورد مرکیمیال بتصارول کاستعال بد کرنے کے لے بین الاقوای کانفرنس بلانے کی ایمل کے۔ صدر مین نے این آخد سالد دور حکومت ش اس کی طرف بونے والی يشُ رفت كاجائزه لياور كماكه ماري معيم القياط كاسبق لما ب حی که امید که اس دور ش جی ناکای کا امکان

حقیقت ملک بد انول نے واق اور ایر ان سے ایکل کی کد اقیام حقود کی قرار داو بر عمل در آمد می تعاون کریں۔ انول نے کماکہ اب اس جگ کو تم ہوجائے ویں اور اس

آنے دیں۔ افغانستان کے بارے میں انہوں نے کما کہ ہم

موديت وين كى مكنه مد تك فوج كى واليي جلد از جلد عمل

جهاتكيرنے جان شير كوہراديا

مجیئن شب کے قائل میں عالمی جیئین جمانگیر خان نے کل

این خت کالف بم وطن جان تیرفان کوبراد ال سے

ين ليكن أس مقابله عن الهول في التي معرف كاوكروكي كا

مظامره كيااور سوا دو مكت كم مقالمه ص ١٠ - ١٥ - ١٠ - ١٥

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تجرور كوداد عل تعال جما كميرفان في أفوي مرتب باكتان

للمكياره مقابلول من ماتكيرهان جان شيرت نومرتبه إ

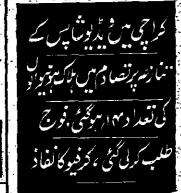
كرائي - ٢٦ رحمر (دائش) ياكتان ادي اسكواكش

ودلل نے آج اطلان کیا کہ آئی رفزورم میں مکست کے اور اور است کے باور اس کا کہ این اسلام کا است کے اور اور اس کا ا اقترارش رے گی ہو ۱۹۹۲ء ش مول کے یادرے کراوال الم ويطيخ كما تماكم اكرو التعواب من كانى تمايت عاصل ند کر سے تو دومتعنی ہو جائیں تے اور سامت جموز وی کے لین اج انول نے کماکہ واپ عدد برتے ریں کے اور ہم مرید چار برسوں تک محومت جائیں گے انہوں نے فی ویژن پر تقریر میں کماکہ دیاڑوں کا بھی عارے انے کی بخش میں بے ان کی محروان مداینز پارٹی کے مقائل عراق ایران جنگ اب ختم ہوجانی چاہئے 'صدر ریکن ے فی س سراجین کی مرف مدید وہی البدائن کر دومری عاصوں علی سے کوئی جمی اس کا تم البدل من کر سائے میں آ کی ترکیم کو مرزد کردیاجو کومت کی حاصت سے لیک آئی ترمیم کو مرزد کردیاجو کومت کی حاصت سے بیش کی می کوئی کی اور جس کے جمیے میں مقانی اوادوں کے استده مال سوديد يونين عيزاكول كى بدش ير مجمود موجائ كا ميزل اسمل عنطاب اقيام حمده - ٢٦ متم (اليخيز) امركي صددونالذ | كرف وصل افوائي كرتيب آك افتان ثوام ميديرياني ا تھات الے ماریج کی عیائے وقت سے پہلے تومبر میں کرا دسیے جاتے اوزیشن معاصیں نے دیفیریم کو وزیر اعظم پر میم میں درجہ کے حرارت قرار دیااور کما کے موام نے در ريكن فاقام حمده الواعى خطاب من آج كماكديدام ما الماعلة ك ينع أزادلد طور يوات مستقل كالحين كر



بماكرا يوزنشن متمره معاذت

بكاكسد ١١١ رجم (دائم) يمايل طول عومه بك التقايت الميداد كريدول محد كلناديد يولية الكر محمت كرساداي ماشلست يدكرام بارفاق التقايت الميدالية المسلسة يدكرام بارفي في مسلم كم ملك مدي مكد ملك الله المالية من المروا بعادر أو الله المالية المراكبة المالية المراكبة الم وحكومت كي اورجس كمدورس فريت دوساي جركي تشودنما مولی ابتام تدیل کرے توی اتحاد بارٹی رکو لیلے دکون میں معنی سفار الارون نے کما کر سوشلٹ مید کرام کے باق



کرا ہے۔ ۱۲ متبر (دیڈیو دیوٹ) کرا ہے۔ یم ویڈیوٹرائیل کا تازم متبر کر ایٹ کے فیج طلب کر ہا

ال إلى الماد ووه طاقه عن كرفولكا وإ كياب ويذي

كافل كماكان كالال من المستكنون عدا عراقراد

للك وروريحول ترفي موي من آج مناثره طلاف من اس

وتت في طلب كرما يزي جب ويمي ك واعلت ير حمارب

العليات وليس وفارتك مروع كردي اور علاقه ين وي

مل حومت اور خود وذیر اعظم احذال کو مسترد کر و یا ہے ہی

جالند حراره میاند اورام تسرکے در میان ریل سروس معطل ہوگئی

چش کرد- ۲۷ر حمر (لب) مدارت كا شال معنى الدريطاق زير آب آي بي بين علاقل على رب

كيلة في طلب كرلي مي بيد دريات منطح اور ياس من طغیانی کے باحث پانی کتاروں سے فکل کر ملحقہ علاقوں میں محیل چکا ہے۔ در یائے جمنااور بھاکڑا بھی خطرے کے ختان ے اور مسرمین مرف بناب یں مترے ذائد افراد ہلاک ہو

.... يولش وزير اعظم كلا نتخاب وارسا- ٢٦ م عقير (رائش) بولينز ك كمونسك ليدر آج بمال النيخ أيك روزه اجلاس من في ورير اعظم كم التحاب ور فير قافل ماليدر في ريد وعن س الحدوماه بوف وال مذاكرات برابي حكمت ملي حتيد كرفي فوركيا ومحزشته بضف

آباد مور بخاب س پیچا ہے جمال پیٹر سرکیں کل المرسستوں نے سری انکا کے وزیر بھالیات کو کوئی مار کر ہلاک کر دیا

بحارت لنكامعاميدا من كے كالف اركست لبريش فرنٹ ير ٥٠ ١٠ فراو كو قل كر نيكا لزام

کلیو- ۱۲ رحم (دائش مری انگا کیا ادامت اے جس بر مراث مال جولائی می و معظم ہوئے تھ اس یافی گرویسے تعلق دیکھ والے لیک مسلخ تی فری انگا کے بحالیات اور تیروک وزیر لیول جا ایک کو گول مار کر ایونے کے ایک مار تخلاق فرن کار داروں موث كي بورعام احتابات كراناتها فرنث كاركان زياده تران لوگوں کو نشانہ بناتے میں جواس مطبرے کی حملیت كرت بي- اب تك متعدد سياست دانول اور فوجيول بلاك كياجا يكاب اي كروب كى جانب تراح الله علاقل مں چوافراد کی ہلاکت کاو حویٰ کیا گیا ہے۔ کمثوں کا کمناہے كمفرد الكاسطيد الرافيول كماتحول بكفي كم حرادف _ ہائیدوسرےصفحہپر

بلاك كرويانوليس فيتايا كهوذمركي كارمروارا لكومت كولبو ے چالیس میل شال میں کرایتا تشریم آیک سلم محص نے کولیل کا بہ چھاڑ کر دی اور موقع سے فراد ہو کیا۔ پولیس نے شر ظاہر کیاہے کہ اور کا تعلق پیلز الریش فرنسے ب يرجادس والدافراد كولاك كرسة كالزامي مهمال وزیر کایادی گارواور ورائیور فائرنگ سے دخی مو سے کاریر باغيول برمشمل بب بعارت مرى انكام حابد ع كاشديد خالف امتوازی حکومتوں کا بحران جاری ہے 'بیروت میں کاروبار دوبارہ کھل کے

كو قان قرارو ري ري من ال الحادي بالل عوام منله كا معتل قريب عن كول عل در يعتد موت أن كام كان بر

وایس آ محوایر متوازی موصول کے قیام فیلس کی رسی

نوبل امن انعام كي دورُمين اقوام متحده

کیامن فرج بھی شامل ہے

اوسلو۔ اللم حمر (رائش) ناروے ٹلی ویژن کے لیک

جائزے کے مطابق اقیام متحدہ کی اس افیاج کو اسال کالوش

اتیام متیرہ کے نائب جزل سکرٹری ڈیگو کار ڈوورز عالمی اوارہ

محت اورعالمي اداره برائ محنت شال بين جائزه كرومرك

ز کوره نویل اس انعام جو که جن لا که ای بزار ڈالر کا ہے ؟ کا

موت وسطی ایشیاء کے طاقوں میں زار لے کے شرید مجھے ہوس <u>کے محمد جس جکہ تو کو</u>ہے بھی جھکوں کی اطلاعات کی ب مركس جانست الى وجانى تتسان ى اطلاع حس لى تى دائی کے زائد بن مرکز نے تایا کہ بندو کس ش پاک افغان مرصوب پر آئ کے کے وقت زائر کے مشکل خورس کے گئے مرصد المراد الصورات ما المان المراد المصورة المراد ادراس کی یاکش ، ری سیل حی مرکز کن قال در انتسان کا طلاع مس لی دار کر سید کی بدرد کرے دو تھے چذی ار میں بھوں کے مطاور لوگ فوفود ہو کر محرول سے

موست ومعلى التياء على الماك كو ندوست فتسان بنجا

پرور کی بولیس تازمسن اوت افراد کی مرفدی کے افتا أكماحي بتنبيل الجارب معتبي فيطلب كالمسلم الماتر ماراه مازاد الكروعية ولس كى فالمحك مصانة موسددو الراد بكاك بركة ك سرية والول كي تعاديدو ووالحق سيد والمن سف بنايار من وي المن كمده يد بن بن كي قائل كمسك ملاحة یں جائے اسے جانے این روٹن کوشر نے کر وجوں کر انگل آئے ایم اسکو نے طح والی اطلاعات کے مطابق

كياره شرون اوريناه مزيول كريميون س كرفيو مضرفي كنار اور غروش عام برال

القدى - ٣١ رحمر (ى الراكل فد مرف آج من كالمحريون من في كالترك المراكل الديم من اللسطين مِنْ فَدُ وَسِمَا قَلَى عُنَامام بِرَالَ بِحَدُولِ اللهِ عَلَى عُرِيدًا لَهِ وَلَهُ مِنْ اللهِ عَلَى مُولِ مَ عَلَى اللهِ اللهِ عَلَى اللهُ اللهِ اللهِ اللهِ اللهِ اللهِ اللهِ اللهِ اللهُ اللهِ اللهُ الل

حتركرف كي فرض سعة ترتك كر كمايك المسطى بالأك اور كمازكم سروزخى كردية - في بنامني كتار اور فري في کے کم از کم کیلرہ شروں اور اقوام خصد کے زیر انتظام بناہ گریوں کے کیمیوں میں کرفیوناؤ کر دیا گیا۔ اس طرح ایک لاكدعك بزار توس يرمشمل فلسطيق آيادي محرول على مقيد كردى كى - فلسطينيل في مقوضه علاقيل اورالقدس ك مفاظنی علاقہ میں سرکوں پر رو کاوٹس کھڑی کر دیں اور ستکیاری ور آول کے پراؤ کے علاق فرج سے جمزیں لیں۔ ویس کے لیک تر جان کے مطابق القدس کے لیک مفاق علاقت من بوشرى مدد كا عرد واقع بي قراة كرت بور ع فلسفينول كامر اللي فومزت تساوي بوافي ترجي و معتر کرنے کے الکے قائز تک کی اور آسو کیس میکی۔ جل جرين بوسة والى اس مخرب كيدودان لكسمام مالاصطفى

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ستزكم مطابق انهول نے عرب سفيروں كو كما كدوا جي اپنی حومتون کو مطلح کریں کہ حمدہ کی معیاد حتم ہوئے سے قبل مروقوی کے سے جاک بوکیا عسلیں ڈوائع نے بتایا کو برکے مداعى جديل كالمراسب مقرر كاجان كاييندي

جلاوطن فلطيني إلىيدث كماجلاس من آزاد فلطيني رياست كقيام كافيمل وكالماوش مند ١٦٨ مير (اب) عليم الادي قلطن ك إدار احجاجي تحرك كي دوفي من قلطني مظريات و-مرم كر وى مركارى سعودى يريس اليخنى سقينا ياكدولى عدد شراوه عدافداور وزير اطاعات على شاعرف يحى عظت ك میای خیراطی بانی الحن کے مراہ بات جیت می مرکب ک ويدكوني تفسيل عان سيل كاكل يام عراست الطي اه الجوائر من فلسطين وي كوسل إجلاد طن بار لمينث كام اجلاس ے قبل عرب واوا الحوال كاووره كردے ين الجوائر ك

ك ك فطب كيابكر شام كي طرف سان كي حكومت كو

غیر قان قرار دیست و مسرو کیاجاد کا بساوران کی حرف مسلمان کابینه کی حایت کااعاده کیا تحیال اون کے لیک

يجيئن يامر موقات كرشت مدريان بيع اور فدى طورب عودی قراروا شاہ قدے امراکل کے در بعد ملاقل س بالمون فبدالقيوم كوتيسري مرتب

مالديب كاصدرجن ليأكيا وليد ١١١ كير (دائر) لمهن فيالقوم كو آج أتسركا جرب يجائز العنب كاصدوجن ليأكيام دامل احكد عرودانداميدار تحاهماله ميدكوده في مدے زائر ورف ما ملی بوت ان کی دسم طف برداری کیاره او بر کوده گانها یکیاب که وداد کوک سم آیادی دا ف اس ملک ند مند فیم ای تیادت شرسای ادر اقصادی فاظ سے مقا ک النف ين كن ساى إلى مين ب لوكول كابهم ويشد الن محرى النف الدجاز النب مكسك عذج السي اواريد راه يري النف بي جن ك عرب ممالك ف ترق النفات مى

سودان ریدی دل کاحمله فندن سیام میر (رایم) شطان خررسال ایمنی کی طاق شکومطان کی سطان شکردادا هومت ترطوم پر جعده منطق منظاول تعليقوب الدوران أسان إيدى الناس فطر أكرا الب كرا بدى لك التحويال فرا معاد فردے ہی۔ ماروں کے مطابق کرائٹ عی المانيان مكافل كليرمس عيوا حدقاور اسان ك المدين الماكن كالمزف وعد كالموب ميان الله الله القليد ما حل كريدات في كيدي

نيدرلينيدن اكتان ودوفراور برطانب في محالت وصفر ين هيداديا

سیی فائین کا اَسٹر طیاو برطانیے ا درمغوبی جرمنی وٹیسندرلیپندہ کے درمیبان حبوگا سيل ٢٠٠ م تم ر (دائش) الشياكي دودي ثيول باكستان | موديت يدنس كوم فريد سيبراكر يمي قاكش شي بيخ كم إجهال

اور معارت كى يكى قائل من يخيخ كى اميدول ير آرة اس وقت اس كاستالم قائل من وتيح كيا نيدر ليذ ي موكد بانى مركم اليهب باستان نيدر ليذ عصروو عاد معارت استريادواب كد كرست مربارا س كاستالم والي می بیشلز قال پرستل اور الیول بر بسیلی امرے ای رخان کورهر مرکتے بوئائدن کا اساق حقق کی عاص يرطانيات مفر تمن عبار كيا- يديدا موقعت كداشياك المركاء دونون يبي فائل كي بده كو كليل مائي مربال كايد وومرا برامقابله ب حسيس في كتان اور محارت ووتول اعلى ایسسٹی اعزیشل -۳۰ رسترکوئی دیل سے شروامٹیڈیم میں تین معمود معرف مغربی کلوکارول کا بدوگرام چیں بوزيش حاصل كرني الكام رب ١٩٨١ء كرورالذكب یم می دونول تیمین میار حوس اور بار حوس بوزیش پر ری تعیں۔ پاکستان کی اکی ہم کے سابق کیتان اور قیم کے موجودہ سل باسان ماہوں - سدر سدر سال ماہدت کی است کی اسان اور معارت کی است کی اصل ماہدت کی است کی اصل کا تعدان سے بیک نيدر لينزك أياس عارف مقاسلي عن موكنامعنوي مرف موجود ہیں۔ پاکستان کی تیم جو مرف جار قارور ڈ کھلاڑیوں کے ساتھ مملک ری تھی اس کے خلاف دونوں کول بندنی کارز

ے بوتے بو قاد آب بولیندر نے لگتے۔ اس کا افرادی اسکور سات بو کیلے بیکر آسر لیا کے ارک دیگر بھی اب ہاکی بوائٹ بوزیش

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مغرق جرمتى مومت يونمن جنوني كوريا

کول می میں ۱۹۲۸ء کے بورے یعی فائنل میں تمیں میٹی ہے۔ اولیک پیمیٹن پاکستان اور معارت دونوں کو سم فائنل میں میٹیج كيك آن آب أب فيرار كرة مرف الديوانت مامل

راقابس عل دويري طرح اكام رب- معرفي جرمي بس ف لاس الجلز اوليكس من جائدى كأسيل ماصل كياتها إ الكلينة كادوره بعارت منسوخ

يداس- ١٦ مقير (رائش) جارتي كرك حكام في آئ قطعی طور برانگلینڈ کرکٹ ہم کے جوزہ دورہ بحارت کو منسوخ کرنے کاعلان کر دیا حکومت بند<u>نے پہلے جا ہے</u>اس موقف كالطان كيا تماكه وه جوني افريقه من كيلت وال كااثريول كوير كزويرا جاري تسي كراء كاجبكه الكلينذي فيست این کاوی کرکٹ ورڈ نے کیٹان کراہم کی سیت ویکر مات كازيل كى حكدومرے كائى مينے الار كردياتها اس حمن من الكينة كي كركت يورة في بحارتي كركت يورة تدوره كى منسوقى يريرواندومول كرف كى دهمكى دى مى-

شراب تيار كرتي وقت حادثه ار قیری الاک ار زخی

ماسكو - ١٦ ر معمر (ك الما) اسكو يمضيوا في اطلاعات کے مطابق وسوالیمیلی جسوری کا زفستان کے ایک لیم كب عن قديل كي تحد كرده قراب عن آك لك جاك ك وجدت ستره افراد بلاك أورستره شديد فيل مصير بيدواقد دو

افغان فضائيه كي يأكتاني سرحدي گاؤل بر پير بمباري مجود افرا دملاك

حملہ آور طباروں نے آٹھ کلومیٹراندر کھس کرجیدیم گرائے ' یاکستان کازبروست احتیاج اسلام آباد۔ ١٩٦ متمر (رائم) افعان فعنائي كولاكا | افعانسان بلے ايے الزابات كي قرديد كر يكاب ياكسان على الدول في آئ اكتان كايك مرصوى علاق مرمبادى وين في كماكه باكتان فضائد كطاوول كي ينتي كرف م ور جار بجل سميت كم از كم ياج افراد كو بلاك كرديام كارى الفنان طيارك البياطاق من والبي يط محمع ياكسان في ١٠٠ وكام فيها إكر تديم إرطيار ياكتان كم المن من أكرم المت كوابك مون طياره ماركرا ياقيابس كايالك تبغير س الياكيا كرودازال اعدودت ومن كولودو إكيا إكتان قَائِلُ عَلاقَه بن أَنْهِ كُو مِنْ اند تَكُس أَعَادر جِه بم كراعَ بمیاری میں زخمی ہونے والول کی تعواد ملت بتائی گئی ہے | تے اس ماہ کے اوائل میں این فضائی صدور میں مداخلت کرنے مر مر کاد کے نیکی دیڑن کی دیورٹ میں کما کیا کہ بمباری ہے جو افراد | حریہ تین ملیار سے مار کرائے کا دھوئی بھی کیا تھا کرم کے علاقہ واک ہوئے اور یاکتان نے افغانستان کی حکومت سے اس ایک پاکستانی افسر نے جایا کہ آج شاخ کے لکوں م زردست احجان كياب براوير معنى مرتب ياكتان ب اب أبمبارى كواقد عن بلاك بور فيدار ل تمام افراد ياكتاني تع طاقد را افائستان كو يميادي ك لي مورو الزام معرايا ب اكتان ير تقريباتي الكوافقان مراج ي محل الديوري

من افعام حاصل ہوئے کے روش امکانات بن اس افعام كے چود كر اسيدوار محى ميں جن عن قليائن كى صدر كورا دون أكيوجل من قد جني افريق كقرم ومت ليدر نيلن منشطا کی اطلاع کے مطابق افغان مجلدین کے کائل پر راکث حملہ م كمازكم سولد افراد بلاك اودع از في بو كاس ك علاوه باغیوں امور او کرے شرطیالم رمی کولسیادی کی جس امددارول من مدد امریک ریکن اور دوی دیما ماکا گایون می بین حکن ان کی کامیانی کے امکانت مستدیم بین بان افراد بلاك اور چه زخى بو كے ايكنى في بنايا كه واراککومت پر حملہ سے گیارہ مادقیل کو شرید تفسان می خ خرر مال ایجنی نے کما کہ افغانستان سے موجت قیول کا فسف انتخاء ممل مولے کے بعدسے باغیوں کے حلول میں

جعلی بیرنے کتیا کامزار بناکر بیری

كوريال كن ربين

توکیو- الارمتبر (رائش جایان کے عدمالہ شنشاه بیرد بیوی زندگی اور موت کے درمیان محکش اب مر کاری حکام اور عوام کے درمیان محکش اور قیاس آرائوں میں تبدیل ہو می ہے۔ صرحانی کے حکام جو شای فازان کے تمام موالات کے محران میں شنشاہ کی طبیت مصلی آزه اور مح صور تمال کویزے نے تے اعمار ترین کے اللہ اور اور کا اللہ اور اللہ اور اللہ اللہ اور اللہ ا معرشتشاد اب زندگی کی آخری گمزیاں من رہے ہیں جایانی سیاست وان شمشناه کی علالت کی آز می تمام مركاري معللات كي منوخي ير مخت دافتكي كاظماركيا ب- وذير اعظم وديكر وزراء الني محرول بن ميني ين وزير فارجه فيازادوره بويارك اوروزم ماليات فيركن من عالى اليالي فلا كى مينتك من شركت كومنون كرويا ب شنثاه ي طبعت حال يط طبى خرام من ال



مأتكل أفن كى عرب ممالك سان كى حكومت كوسليم كريلينى در خواست

بردت المرسم (رائر یب) لبتان کے مبالی البتان کا تالی انتقاق اوارہ ب اون نے کما ب کا ان کی اور کا کہ ان کی ایر م

ان كَي حَوْمت كُوشَكِيم كراياجات آج عرب مغيرول كولاقا | دومرى طرف قائم عام دزير اعظم عليم الدحس الي حكومت

سوویت وزیر دفاع بھارت کے اہم دورے برخی دبلی بہنچ گئے بحارتی رہنماؤں سے وقائی امور اور اڑا کاطیاروں کی تیاری ش مدددیے پر جادلہ خیال کریں گ ق دفی۔ ۲۱ مقر (ریدیورٹ) موں ایک کے اے کر اسکونے میں جانا کہ معارت میں کے قریب آجائے

دونوں مکوں کے درمیان اسلحہ کی منس ملکہ دیگر اشیاء کی تجارت ش بعي اضاف مواب اوراس كى دجه سووت إينن كى المحى تبلرتى شرائلايس

رزر وقاع وحرى ياروف بعارت كے يائج روزه مركارى دورے بر آج تی دہلی بہتے مجے موائی اؤے بران کا استقبال معارت من وزير دقاع كى كالشت فى كيا محارت على اي قیام کے بملے روز یازوف بھارتی رہنماؤں سے دقامی امور میں بحارت مورت تعاون برتباوله خيال كياسوويت يومن كي طرف ے بعارت کو لڑا کا خیارے بنانے میں مدد دینے کے لیک معلیب پر دستخل کے جائیں گے ٹی بی می نے سویت وزیر دفاع کے دورہ بھارت پر تبعرہ کرتے ہوئے کما کہ بھارت مورے بوش سے جدید ترین بھیار حاصل کرنے کے علاقہ ویگر درائع سے بھی اسلی حاصل کر آرباہے محر معدتی الواج کو جديد المحسب ليس كرف من موديد الأخن في الم كرواراوا کیاہے اور گزشتہ برسوں میں دونوں ملکوں کے تعلقات ائتمائی ترجی رہے ہیں دونوں مکول کے تعلقات کا جائزہ لیے ہوئے ریزوے کما کہ افغانستان کے ستلہ پر بھارت نے مجم مجی

مريدي كالملدشروع كرديا لايود - ٢٦م متمر (عرب نائم ديورث) منجاب كالك شرمانظ آبادين أيك بطي ورف اي كتا كاحرار فقيركر ك يرى مريدى كاسلسله خردع كر ديا بادر ماده لوح منعیف التقیه لوگوں نے وہاں غذانے اور چرمادے پی کر افروع کر دیے ہیں اس بات کی اطلاح لے ر محکمہ بائی دے نے کارروائی کر کے نام نیاد مرفد کو مسار کر دیا دیاو تر مع معتول نے جعلی میرے خلاف منیف الافتادی اور جالت میلانے ر کاروائی کرے کامطالہ کیاہے جعلی و ختایا کاس کو کتاب

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افتان دارا فكومت كى كياره عمارتول كونقصان بنيا الكتان يرمجلدين كيدد كرف كالزام ماسكو- ١٧٩ر متمر (رائش سويت خرر مال الجنبي آس | اخاف مو كياب اورا ازام لكاياكه باكستان كي طرف يصافحون كومسلسل اداد دى جارى بادراس طرح ياكتان افغاستان كاندروني موالات بداخلت كرك جنوا مواره كي ظاف ورزاول كأملسل مرتحب وربلب جيوامطبوه كي تحت يسط

جايانی شهنشاه زندگی کی آخری

جڑل نین کے مائ اکیش میں کا مرانی ماصل کرے لک میں متاز کرداد کی حیثیت ماصل کرنے کی کوشش کریں ہے فوق محرالوں نے بربائی جلدی احتالات کرائے کا علمان کر رکھا برو الوشلست بروكرام يادني كاكومت كالخشطابر ١٨متم وأبيك فيتي اقتلاب عي الت ويأكم إحما تحر مفار تكارول كاكمنا ے كرفيج كى كارروائى كف فالفت كى وسط اروا لے لئے تى ماكدا فلاار يراسة بالحول بس ركعا جاسك الوزيش كي کوہ ہندو کش اور سوویت وسطی ایشیامیں زلزلے کے شدید جھلکے زُ زُ لے کے جیٹھ پاک افغان اور پاک جمارت سرحدوں رجبی محسوں کئے گئے 'کوئی جانی نقصان حمیں جو تی دفی۔ ۲۹ر سمبر (یب) ما سواور تی دفی کے محک خروسال ایجنی ماس کے مطابق سوے ریدلک اف رياستول مي شديد بارشول كالمسلم أج يوشف روز بحى جارى قاجکستان کے شرخریج ٹی متعدد مکانات فیکٹریاں مندم ہو کئی گرکوکی جائی تنسیان شیں ہوایہ شرکہ ہندگش رفیات کے حکام نے انکٹاف کیاہے کہ کو ہندو مش اور ربااور مكان كرف اور ۋوسينت بلاك موفوالول كى تحداد

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OLYMPIC NOTEBOOK

S. Koreans angry ANGRY South Koreans flooded police and newspaper

offices with telephone calls yes-

terday demanding two American

Olympic swimmers be given long

jail sentences for theft. Police

said callers urged that US gold

medal swimmers Doug Gjertsen

and Troy Dalbey be prosecuted

on charges of stealing a marble

lion's head worth \$830 from a

Seoul hotel last Saturday. US

Olympic officials apologised for

the incident and said it was a

WORLD champion Jiang Jial-

ing yesterday handed Britain's Alan Cooke his first defeat in a

three-set match at the Olympic

men's table tennis singles

preliminaries. The score was 21-

18, 21-19, 21-16. Cooke, ranked

49th in the world, quickly took a

5-0 lead as Jiang hit the net in the

first set. But otherwise playing

firmly with quick footwork and

lightning shots. Jiang posted his

fifth win against no defeat.

BRAZIL. Argentina, the Soviet

Union and the defending cham-

pion US team moved into the

medal round of the Olympic

men's volleyball tournament

yesterday. In Friday's semifin-

als, the United States will play

Brazil, the second-place team

from the other six-team

preliminary group bracket. The

Soviets, winners of the second

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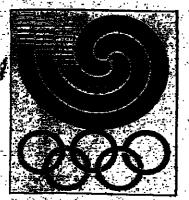
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Volleyball event

foolish prank.

Cooke is 4-1.

Table tennis



Four players hold key to soccer gold medal

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): Three new talents on the international scene and a veteran with an insatiable thirst for goals hold the key to gold medal ambitions in the Olympic soccer tour-

West Germany's Juergen Klinsmann, Romario of Brazil, the Soviet Union's Alexei Mikhailichenko and Italian striker Antonio Virdis are the men who matter in the semifinals tomorrow_

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They have scored a total of 14 goals so far and been hugely influential and inspirational. Despite giant-killing exploit

by Australia and Zambia in the group games, the teams with proven pedigrees have taken their places in a last four line-up. Stylish Brazil, beaten Olympic finalists four years ago and determined to go one better in Seoul,

face a West German side steadily growing in stature. Italy, ridiculed at home after losing 4-0 to Zambia, take on the

Soviet Union. Romario, hailed as Brazil's striking saviour, and Stuttgart's Klinsmann have the ability single-handedly to win the clash of the soccer giants.

They have both scored hattricks in the tournament and are hungry for more goals.

"Romario will be important to

Brazilian coach Carlos Alberto Silva said. Silva is shaping a team for the 1990 World Cup in Italy and

reckons the mix is just about "This team has a lot of fighting spirit and is marking well," he said. "At the same time we are.

playing pretty much the traditional Brazilian game. Adversary

"West Germany are a good side and will be a strong adver-

The West Germans also have one eye on the next World Cup and national team manager Franz Beckenbauer has flown to South Korea to assess the Olympic side's potential.

Like Klinsmann, the Soviet Union's Mikhailichenko impressed during the European Championships and has polished his reputation here.

The gangling Dynamo Kiev midfielder with the loping run was behind all three goals which destroyed Australia in the quarterfinals and has the class to repeat the demolition act against Italy.

Poor teamwork has let down the Italians but gems of individuality from Virdis helped them scramble into the last four.

The veteran Milan striker, top scorer in the Italian League two seasons ago, has wonderful close control, a telling shot and a feel for the big occasion.

"Italy will be difficult for us," said Soviet Union coach Anatoli Bychovets, who has tipped Brazil

"I will be having a big think about how we approach the match. I was concerned about the work rate of some of our key players against Australia, especially in the first half."

MOROCCO'S IBRAHIM TAKES 10,000 METRES GOLD

Angry Lewis makes long jump history

SEOUL, Sept 26, (AP): America's Carl Lewis leaped into Olympic history today while Kenya's Paul Ereng loped out of nowhere to defeat Morocco's great Said Aouita.

Lewis, rebounding from his loss to Canada's Ben Johnson in the 100-metre dash, became the first Olympic long jump cham-pion to retain his title. He led an American medal sweep with a leap of 8.72 metres to duplicate his victory four years ago at Los

Lewis' historic triumph came after he had run two qualifying heats in the 200 and had argued with track officials about his having to jump in too rapid succession. The argument and a stalled clock gained him time. Great

"I seized the moment, took the adrenalin and came up with a great jump," he said afterward. Lewis' teammate, Roger Kingdom, also repeated his 1984 triumph in the 110-metre high hurdles, winning the Seoul event in the Olympic record time of 12.98 seconds — third fastest in history. He was the first 110 hurdler repeat winner since his countryman Lee Calhoun won the

event in 1956 and 1960 The men's 800 was one of the most keenly anticipated races of the Games.

Particular interest was focused on Aouita, who was attempting the 800-1,500 double and is also on the entry list for the 5,000.

Cruz was bidding to become the first man for 24 years to retain his title and the sield also included world silver medallist Peter Elliott and Brazil's world bronze medallist Jose Barbosa. Kenyan Nixon Kiprotich set

followed by Cruz. Cruz made his move at the 200 metres mark with Aouita accelerating on the outside.

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): Three of India's six-strong all-

women track team threatened an

Olympic mutiny today in a row

The trio said they would pull

n was changed: India's track

out of the Games unless their

country's 4x400 metres relay

and field squad in Seoul are all

women because the men were not

and said she would leave Seoul

on the next flight if team officials

refused to let her run in the relay

P.T. Usha, Mercy Kuttan, Shiny

Abraham, Ashwini Nachappa,

Vandana Shanbagh and Rao.

Three of them were in the win-

ning team at the 1986 Asian

The squad will be chosen from

Vandana Rao burst into tears

over who runs in the relay.

good enough to qualify.

on Friday.

the early pace, taking the field

through the bell in 49.54 seconds,



Lewis in action during the men's long jump final. (Reuter wirephoto)

But Aouita, running with bandages of his front right thigh and back left thigh, was clearly strug-gling and it was Ereng who seized the race with an electrifying

Ereng, who studies in the United States and was a 400 metres specialist up to this year, then jogged a victory lap, waving the Kenyan slag high.

After the race, Aouita said: "I tried hard on the backstretch, but it was too late, and I was to far "I've accomplished my

dream," said the jubilant Ereng, a sophomore at the University of Virginia who came to Seoul after just beginning to make a reputation in American collegiate meets. He was 800 champion of the US National Collegiate Athletic Association in his first track

The race produced the first

dles champion, was included in

the Olympic selection trials but

the government pressed for her

inclusion in the team for Seoul

because of her past performance.

shed 31st out of 35 competitors in

the hurdles heats on Sunday.

her heel was still troubling her.

Usha, who came fourth in the

84 Los Angeles Games, fmir

She told reporters afterwards

'Usha is clearly not physically

"All three of us are prepared to

"The chef (de mission K.P.

Singh Deo) insulted us and told

us we were here because of the

charity of the government and

asked Rao why her parents could

fit to run. Vandana Rao should

be running in her place," said

leave for home," she said.

Nachappa.

A heel injury kept Usha out of

the team when she was not fit.

Indian athletes threaten mutiny

medals of the Games for Kenya, Brazil and Morocco.

In the women's 800, East German runners finished one-two as Sigrun Wodars outkicking Christine Wachtel in 1:56.10.

The Soviet Union's Olga Bryzgina won the women's 400 in 48.65 seconds, breaking the old mark of 48.83 set in 1984 by Valerie Brisco of the United States. The American defending champion faded to fourth.

Another Olympic mark was set by East Germany's Petra Felke with a 74.68-metre toss of the javelin that won her the gold medal in the women's event. Fatima Whitbreat of Britain was

Sergei Litvinov, sporting a head band around his blond mane, watched his hammer soar

His Olympic record led the Soviet Union to a clean sweep of



ibrahim (left) hugs 2nd place finisher Salvatore Antibo of Italy. (Reuter wirephoto)

the medals in the battle of gentle giants in the hammer throw.

The three same men took the hammer honours as in Mosow in 1980, the last time the Soviet Union started in the Summer Games.

Litvinov, a 110-kg mass of muscle, added the Olympic title to the world crowns he won in 1983 and 1987. He relished his triumph in a

private hammer war against teammate Yuri Sedykh, who won Olympic gold both in Mos-cow and in Montreal in 1976 and holds the world record of 86.74.

Sedykh won the silver with 83.76. Yuri Tamm, who weighs in at a respectable II8 kg, defended his bronze medal from Moscow, throwing 81.16.

Sedykh, a mere 102 kg, got so upset by his defeat that he refused to take part in the medall-

would have to run against Usha

in a 400 metre trial tomorrow to

decide the fourth member of the

the middle of a disastrous Olym-

The women's threat came in

The men's hockey team, eight

times Olympic champions, crashed to a 3-0 defeat against

Britain. They needed a draw to

here and I will be writing about it

in my report," said the Indian

government's Olympic observer,

"We had a poor performance

relay squad.

pics for India.

V.K. Verma.

relay, he added.

reach the semifinals.

Little known Moroccan Moulay Ibrahim Boutaib followed his master Aouita to Olym-

Ibrahim, r 21-year-old newcomer from a peasant family in the mountains east of Casablanca, raced away to win in the men's 10,000 metres, clocking the fourth fastest time over the distance.

Moroccan team coach Benjamin Moyer immediately predicted that the youngster would soon break world records in both the 10,000 and 5,000 metres. The holder of the record over the shorter distance is

Aouita. Ibrahim, a timid athlete running for only the fifth time over 10,000 metres, was quick to pay tribute to Aouita.

'We are brothers," he said. "I'm sure he will win gold in the 1.500 metres.

Ibrahim career follows Aquita's so closely, he is almost

in his footsteps. Both first appeared on the international scene at the world junior cross-country championships — Aouita in Glasgow in 1978 and Ibrahim in Neuchatel, Switzerland two years ago.

The two have frequently trained together and the younger Ibrahim followed Aouita to Italy where he signed for the same manager, Enrico Dionisi.

World and European champion Ingrid Kristiansen of Norway romped in an emphatic victory in the first women's 10,000 metres heat to book her place in Friday's final.

The Norwegian won in 31:44.69 while Briton Liz McColgan, expected to provide Kristiansen with her stiffest challenge after beating the world record holder three times his season, also qualified easily.

Australian Debbie Flintoff-King clocked an Olympic record 54.00 seconds as she won the first women's 400 metres hurdles semifinal.

Snatched

The 28-year-old world championship silver medallist snatched victory on the line from Tatiana Ledovskaya to better the mark of 54.58 seconds set by East German Ellen Fiedler yesterday.

American Latanya Sheffield and Briton Sally Gunnell completed the quartet which advanced to Wednesday's final.

Fiedler led from the gun to win the second heat in 54.28 seconds. But world champion Sabine Busch looked well below her best as she laboured home fourth in 54.71 to clinch the last place in the final.

Soviet Tatiana Kourotchkina and West German Gudrun Abt finished second and third respectively, also advancing to the

Siegfried Wentz, silver medallist at last year's World Championships in Rome, withdrew from the Olympics and returned home vesterday after failing a fitness iest. West German team doctor Walter Hubmann said Wentz could not jump higher than 1.70 metres when he made a late test on an ankle injury received while training in Austria five weeks ago. His personal best for the high jump is 2.12 metres.

Knol triumphs

MONIQUE KNOL has avoided Jeannie Longo since an incident at this year's Tour de France when the Dutch woman claims she was punched by the French champion. Yesterday Knol hit back in the sweetest manner possible, winning the Olympic gold medal in the individual road race, an event Longo has ruled for several years.

Pietro Mennea

VETERAN 200 metres world bowed out of his fifth Olympics a disappointed man yesterday after injuring himself at the Seoul Games. Menneu, 36, qualified in the 200 metres first round heats at the Olympic stadium in the morning but did not appear for the afternoon second round to decide the semifinalists. Italian coach Sandro Giovanelli said Mennea had hurt a muscle in his

Doping scandal

A BAN from the Seoul Olympics of two Bulgarian weightlifters who tested positive for illegal drugs is likely to trigger disciplinary action and even a purge of senior Bulgarian sports officials. An editorial carried Sunday by the Communist Party daily strongly suggested that weightlifting and other sports officials will be taken to task for their alleged role in the doping scandal when the Games are over.

Visitors puzzled WHERE are the home fans at the

Seoul Olympics? Many stadiums are half-empty and sports enthusiasts with experience of previous Olympics are asking why. "Tickets were scalped for many times the original price at Los Angeles. The venues were packed. Where are the Koreans?" said one foreign

Canadian gymnast SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD Can-

adian gymnast Lori Strong completed her floor routine at the Seoul Olympics without realising that she has broken her right leg. Strong, now being pushed around the athletes village in a wheelchair by her compatriots. went to the medical centre complaining of a sore leg. Doctors found it was proken.

Olympic prayer "PLEASE, Lord, give us a glory

hunting, egotistical, self-centred prime donna because, Lord, we need such a hero just now. Amen." So reads the prayer in the guidebook to the 1988 Olympic team from the Cook Islands. Richard Pittman, boxer, potential marathon runner, night club manager, car cleaner, singer, comic and stepson of Prime Minister Dr Pupuke Robati, thinks he can answer it.

Show jumpers

AMERICA'S show jumpers began the defence of their Olympic titles with a flourish yesterday with three riders scoring fast clear rounds in the opening contest at the Seoul Games.

Nachappa and Shanbagh said they would refuse to run if P.T. Usha, the Asian 400 metres hur-We will not be dictated to. We not bring her up properly. "We are not prepared to listen pick the team " Another official said Rao to this," she added. Italian stops European champion

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): European featherweight (57 kg) champion Mikhak Kazaryan of the Soviet Union toppled out of the Olympic boxing tournament today, floored by unheralded Italian Giovanni Parisi.

The Italian southpaw had Kazaryan in trouble from the opening bell, landing rights and lefts with a speed that clearly astonished his opponent.

Kazaryan survived a standing count in the first round but Parisi again caught him with a two-fisted combination in the second and the referee stepped in with the Soviet barely rising off the

Parisi's win landed him a quar-terfinal spot and brought Italy a

memorable double over the Soviets as heavyweight (91 kg) Luigi Gaudiani decisioned Ramzan Sebiev a few hours earlier.

The United States saw their eighth boxer safely through to the quarterfinals when light-middleweight (71 kg) Roy Jones easily beat Czechoslovakia's Michal Franck.

The plucky Czech took two standing counts before going the distance and losing a 5-0 decision. Matched

East Germany's miserable day

continued when light-middleweight Torsten Schmitz, a bronze medal winner in the World Championship, was beaten 5-0 by South Korean Park Si-Hun. Even the referee had to laugh at the antics of Kuwaiti super-heavyweight Ali Al Baluchi in his

Deo was not available for

comment. But one official said:

Usha: not fit

much-appreciated fight with Russian Alexander Miroshni-The rotund Kuwaiti somehow managed to dodge almost every

punch thrown by the Russian and he received one of the biggest cheers when the fight ended with Miroshnichenko gaining the predictable whitewash decision. In yet another mis-match, the trainers of Sudanese super-heavyweight Mohamed Hammad

took one look at South Korea's Kim Yoo-Hyun and threw in the towel after the first bell had barely stopped ringing.

Le Deroff wins

whether she was fit to run in the

PUSAN, South Korea, Sept 26, (Reuter): Jean-Yves le Deroff clinched victory in the tornado catamaran today to win France's first yachting gold medal for 16 years, according to provisional

Bruce Kendall of New Zealand and Denmark's Jorgen Bojsen-Moller also sealed golds today but also were waiting for official results. They had been cleared of all protests.

lead in the Division II sailboard after six races and Bojsen-Moller was assured of gold in the flying Dutchman when a jury decision went against second-placed Yoel Sela of Israel.

gold for France

Kendall had an unbeatable

Edberg and Mecir to meet in semifinals

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): Gold-seekers Stefan Edberg and Miloslav Mecir set up a repeat of their Wimbledon semifinal showdown when they both overcame windy conditions at the Olympic tennis tournament

With the second semifinal an all-American affair between second seed Tim-Mayotte and Brad Gilbert, the US team are guaranteed at least a silver and a bronze medal.

Temperamental Both losers in Wednesday's semifinals will be awarded

bronze medals. Edberg, who beat Mecir in five sets at Wimbledon on his way to the title, played his best match of the tournament against temperamental Italian Paolo Cane.

The Swede took just 19 minutes to win the first set of his quarterfinal 6-1 and overturned two break points against him on his way to a 7-5 win in the second. Cane, who beat sixth seed Emilio Sanchez of Spain in the second round, gave up trying in



the final set, which top seed

Edberg won 6-4. When Edberg served three aces in a row, Cane deliberately stood out of range as the next

serve came down the court to give Edberg a 3-1 lead. "He acts a bit strange at times," Edberg, 22, said after-wards. "He looked a bit sleepy to

Czechoslovak Mecir, the third seed, and his quarterfinal opponent, Michiel Schapers of the Netherlands, had to cope with strong gusts of wind which sent a collection of debris floating past them on the centre court. The net judge's hat, a spec-

tator's eye-shade, pieces of paper

and the ballboys' kneeling mats all interrupted play and one gust brought down a section of the fence at the side of the court before Mecir won 3-67-66-26-4. "It was very difficult to control the ball in the wind," said Mecir who is nursing a cold. "The ball was changing direction and it

was difficult to get the timing Mayotte, who beat West German Carl-Uwe Steeb 7-6 7-5 6-3. was overjoyed that his mother, Mary, had flown out to Seoul to

see him play. "This is the first time my mother has ever watched me play, on television or in real life," said Mayotte, one of eight chil-

"She has always been much too nervous to watch me. It was pretty exciting that she gathered up the courage to come. Mayotte, ranked ninth in the world, said the wind had made

his match a scrappy affair. "I could have won the match more easily," he said. "I had seven or eight breakpoints that I did not capitalise on but the conditions were difficult with the

Gilbert, Mayotte's practice partner all last week, had problems with his ankle which he has kept strapped since surgery in May.

Circulation He gave away the first set of his match against 13th seed Martin Jaite of Argentina on a forehand error but fought back to win 5-7

6-1 7-6 6-3. "I didn't feel like I was running or getting up on my serve at all because the tape was bothering me - it was cutting off the circulation," said Gilbert who frantically changed the bandaging between games.

SEOUL, South Korea, Sept 26, clock malfunction. The teams did not meet at Montreal in 1976 and each boycotted the Olympic Games

US rout Puerto Rico

(AP): The United States and Soviet Union were set today to meet in Olympic basketball for the first time since the controversial gold medal game in 1972.

The semifinal matchup was decided when both teams won their quarterfinal games, the United States in 94-57 rout of Puerto Rico and the Soviet Union with a 110-105 win over Brazil that wasn't decided until

the final five seconds. Australia, a 77-74 upset winner over Spain in the quarterfinals, meets Yugoslavia in the other semifinal. The Yugoslavs beat Canada 95-73 to advance.

Verma said the government had waived normal selection procedures for Usha because of for Wednesday. her previous achievements, "In these cases it is up to the athletes since the 51-50 Soviet victory at (themselves) to tell us whether the Munich Games 16 years ago, they are fit to run or not. tainted when the final three It was for Usha to decide

Both semifinals are scheduled A US-Soviet rematch at the Olympics has been long awaited

seconds were replayed twice

because of referee error and a

played in the other's country.
"I think there are teams here that are deeper, but I don't think

there's any more of a cohesive, mature team than they are," US coach John Thompson said of the Soviets. The United States has used a

swarming pressure defence throughout the Games for six victories, with only a six-point edge over Canada being closer than 15 points.

The Soviets have struggled, losing their opener to Yugoslavia and being taken into overtime by

Puerto Rico. Their victory over Brazil. which the US team beat 102-87 in the preliminary round, was sealed when Rimas Kurtinaitis made his sixth 3-pointer of the game with five seconds to play for the final margin.



Louganis heads qualifiers for highboard diving final

SEOUL, Sept 26, (Reuter): American Greg Louganis stayed on course to become the first man to retain both Olympic divingtitles when he headed today's qualifying for the highboard

Louganis, who won his second springboard crown six days ago, was in second place after the four compulsory dives behind China's Xiong Ni, 14, half his

Still sporting a head dressing after hitting the board during springboard qualifying, Louganis dropped to fourth after a relatively poor effort in the first of his six optional dives. But he took over the lead in the seventh round and held it to the end, finishing with a total of 617.67

Xiong placed second among the 12 qualifiers with 601.50 points, followed by compatriot Li Kongzheng — bronze medallist behind Louganis in Los Angeles four years ago and second to the American at the 1986 World Championships in third place with 578.31.

The marks do not carry through to tomorrow's final but determine the starting order. Louganis wil be last to dive in

SPORTS BRIEFS

Malhotra Trophy

THE second round matches of

the Malhotra Trophy knock-out

cricket tournament will be

played on Friday. September 30

at the Ahmadi grounds. On the

New Ground, in the morning

Unity face Union and umpires

are (2) from YMCA. In the after-

noon, on the same ground, Morning Star meet Kifco: Umpires are (2) from Al Mulla. At the

Oval, the morning match is bet-

ween Kokan and Falcon

Umpires nominated are (2) from

Siddiqui. The afternoon game is

a clash between Starlite and

Bright Stars. Umpires will be (2)

from Capri. Morning matches

begin at 0900 am. Afternoon

Casuals outlast **Hawks**

CASUALS opened their season with an exciting victory against Hawks in the Jashanmal League at Ahmadi on Friday. The match had all the elements of a classic cricket game as Casuals pulled off victory in the last over.

The match opened in dramatic fashion with Hawks' Amjad hooking the first ball off Anderson to the boundary, but Anderson finding rapid revenge by bowling skipper Shivi (0).

New bowler Adi Selveratnam (4 for 43) showed his worth with an excellent opening spell but then Amjad (68) and Ishtiaq (30) cut loose to build up a dangerous score. The welcome return of Seward to Kuwait then paid its first dividend as his turning balls (3 for 34) broke the back of the Hawks batting and kept them to a final score of 175 for 9 after 28

Striking In reply, Casuals opener Wells (32) stunned Hawks opening bowler Asghar by striking successive boundaries and launching the run chase.

Seward then reminded everybody of his class with the bat as he scored 68 and kept the team on target. Snowden (15) and Adi (16) weighed in but then Casuals faltered and the tension

The scoring rates were level going into the final overs but the mature Anderson (16 not out) kept his cool. Joined by Stafford, still pleased by his earlier dramatic catch, Anderson saw out the final overs to give Casuals victory by virtue of a faster run rate after 27 overs.

Hubara score easy win over Crescent

IN a match played in the Friday KOC Jashanmal League, Hubara continued their good start to the season with an all round performance to destroy Crescent in their 30-over match. Hubara skipper Craig Shipton again lost the toss and Crescent asked Hubara to bat.

Hubara's batting was dominated by a 96 run partnership between Jimmy James (70) and Nick Elfinstone (32) in a space of only 11 overs. James' innings included 11 fours and one six. Elfinstones innings included 3 fours.

Other notable scores were Shipton (28) and extras 16 thereby resulting in a final score of 187 for 6 wickets. The best of the Crescent bowlers were Nacem 3 for 50 and Zahid 1 for

After the short break, it was the turn of the Crescent batsmen to try to get the runs. Right from the start it was difficult with Patrick Flower and James restricting the batsmen to only 16 runs off the first 8 overs.

Flower was particularly deadly with figures of 3 for 21 runs and 3 maidens. The Crescent batsmen never looked confident against the Hubara bowlers and other notable figures were Dave Boldy 4 for 8. Chris Haseman 2 for 32 and although disappointing after last weeks debut performance, Martin Coolson 1 for 16.

The Crescent innings finished at 104 all out of 23.4 overs.

Failaka edge past Asim

FAILAKA Cricket Club scored a 26-run victory over Asim Cricket Club in a friendly match on Failaka island earlier this

Failaka batted first and scored 139 for the loss of nine wickets in their 25 allotted overs. Shahid hit 29, Naeem 32, Amir Ali an unbeaten 29 and Salim 17.

For Asim, Saif took three wickets for 18, Waheed three for 21 and Pervaiz and Zafar Iqbal

one each. Retire

Asim lost their openers cheaply before captain Saeed hit 35. He slammed five fours before he was hit on the head by a short-pitched ball and had to retire. Saif scored 33 and Hamad 10

but the other batsmen could not cope with the Failaka bowling and Asim were all out for 113. For Failaka, Waheed took three wickets for 17, Talib three for 24 and Amir Ali two for 28. Amir took the Man of the Match

award.

Kiwis win HARARE, Zimbabwe, Sept 26, (AP): In a brisk start to their cricket tour of Zimbabwe, the young New Zealanders forged a 101-run victory yesterday against a country district side WORLD NO. 30 WINS LOS ANGELES GP

Pernfors tames Agassi



NEW YORK, Sept 26, (AP):

Perfection still suits the Buffalo

Bills, Cincinnati Bengals and Los Angeles Rams after four weeks

of National Football League

a 36-28 victory over the Pitts-

burgh Steelers yesterday as Robb

Riddick scored two quick touch-

downs in the third quarter, one

on a blocked punt, and Scott

Norwood kicked five field goals.

in the AFC Central last year.

moved to 4-0 by scoring all their

points in the first half in a 24-17

decision against Cleveland.

Ickey Woods had a pair of 1-yard

scoring runs and Lewis Billups

went 26 yards for a score after

recovering Kevin Mack's fum-

The Rams got a career-best

five touchdown passes from Jim-

Everett and their defence

blocked a punt, forced a fumble

with a sack and picked off a pass

to set up three touchdown drives

that covered just 65 yards in a 45-

31 rout of the New York Giants.

City 23; and Phoenix 30, Washin-

Also, it was San Francisco 38, Seattle 7; San Diego 24, Kansas

In earlier contests, it was the

New York Jets 17, Detroit 10:

Dallas 26, Atlanta 20; Indian-

MADRAS, Sept 26, (Reuter):

India's cricket authorities yester-

day put what could be the final

nail in the coffin of the scheduled

England winter tour of the coun-

Cricket in India (BCCI) ignored

an England demand that it say

whether the touring side was

acceptable as picked, despite the

New Delhi government's declaration it would not grant

visas to eight of the players with

In a statement after its two-

day annual meeting, the BCCI

put the ball firmly in the court of

the Test and County Cricket Board (TCCB) which controls

South African links.

The Board for Control of

Indian board slams door

on England cricket tour

The Bengals, a last-place team

The Bills stayed unbeaten with

action.

ls remain unbeaten

apolis 15, Miami 13; Houston 31,

New England 6; Chicago 24,

Green Bay 6; Minnesota 23, Philadelphia 21; and New

Orleans 13, Tamba Bay 9.
The Raiders were at Denver

Turnovers killed the Steelers.

who had three interceptions,

fumbled twice and had two punts

blocked. Riddick scored from the 5 when he picked up Steve

Tasker's block of a punt by

Harry Newsome, giving the Bills a 30-14 lead in the third quarter.

Riddick, who missed the pre-

season while serving a 30-day

suspension for failing NFL drug

tests, scored on a 1-yard run 2-21

The Bengals have the right

rhythm as they've gotten out of

the gate faster than any Cincin-

nati team since 1975, Paul

Brown's last season as coach.

when they were 6-0. Boomer, Esiason, the NFL's top-rated

passer, was held without a touch-

down pass for the first time this

The 45 points were the most

against the Giants since San

Diego scored 44 in 1980. Everett

English first-class cricket.
"We hope that some solution can be found by the TCCB which

will be in conformity with the

spirit behind the Indian govern-ment's decision," the BCCI said in a clear hope England would

The BCCI members decided

The BCCI said nothing about

withdrawing its invitation for England's 11-week tour due to

start on December 6. Board sour-

ces said that was a deliberate

omission because of the TCCB's

threat to ask for compensation

for the cancellation of the tour.

that they will strictly abide by the government's decision," the

Indian statement added.

drop the eight.

season by a defence that hasn't

given one up in four games.

Rams 45, Giants 31

Bengals 24, Browns 17

Bills 36, Steelers 28

this evening.

before that.

LOS ANGELES, Sept 26, (Reuter): Sweden's Mikael Pernfors won the \$415,000 Los Angeles Grand Prix tournament yesterday by beating top-seeded American Andre Agassi 6-2 7-5 in the final.

It was the fourth-seeded, 30thranked Swede's first tournament

Surgery

Pernfors was competing in only his second tournament since knee surgery that kept him out of competition between Wimbledon and the US Open, which ended on September 11.

Pernfors, who reached the French Open final in 1986, counterpunched brilliantly with Agassi from the baseline in the first set, retrieving apparent winners to score ones of his own.

He broke the fourth-ranked

Agassi in the third game and took an injury break while leading 3-2 to have his right ankle taped after twisting it early in the match.

The injury appeared not to harm Pernfor's characteristic mobility, and he went on to break Agassi again for 5-2 with a forehand crosscourt pass. Pernfors served out the set 6-2 with a backhand lob.

Agassi took control early in the second set to lead 3-0 but Pernfors broke back for 3-2 as the American began to miss

hit tight end Pete Holohan on a

14-yard scoring pass, found full-back Robert Delpino for a 5-yar-

der and Aaron Cox on a 69-yard

scoring play down the left sidelines, all in the first half.

How dominant was San Fran-

cisco? The 49ers, 3-1, had the ball

for 42 minutes, 50 seconds,

rushed for 239 yards while allow-

ing Seattle 29, and had 27 first

downs to eight for the host Seah-

awks, who played without injured starting quarterback

At Kansas City, Babe Laufen-

berg threw a 9-yard touchdown

pass to Lionel James with 52

seconds left to win it. Steve

Deberg threw three touchdown

passes and Paul Palmer scored

twice while piling up 198 yards in

total offense for the Chiefs, who

appeared to have the game clin-

ched on an interception by Dino

Hackett on the final drive. But

Tim Cofield was called for

Cardinals 30, Redskins 21

Rookie Tony Jordan scored twice on 1-yard runs and Cedric

Mack returned a fumble 45 yards

for a touchdown with 41 seconds

remaining as the Cardinals won

the first time in their new city.

Rising triumph

RISING STARS beat SUFA 5-4

on penalty shots after both the

sides drew 1-1 in the Rothmans

Gold Cup football tournament

SUFA got a chance to go ahead in the first half when

Vijay's header, off a corner

kick by Cabral, hit the goal post.

the second half through a goal by

Sunil but Cabral got the equal-

After the remaining period

failed to produce any result the

match went into a tie-braker.

SUFA missed one of their pen-

alty shots while Rising scored all

In the second match, Incredi-

On Friday, Goa Maroons

ESTORIL, Portugal, Sept 26,

(Reuter): A broad smile returned

to Alain Prost's face last night

when he regained his position on

top of the World Drivers' Cham-

pionship with victory in the Por-tuguese Grand Prix motor race.

fun and celebration after an

eventful race. Prost clearly

enjoyed the banter of Italian Ivan

Capelli who finished second in a

Sense

track as he is on it, constantly

referred to Prost as 'Mr Profes-

sor' or plain 'Mr Prost' through

the post-race interview, never

restraining his naturally mischievous sense of humour after

Prost, whose win lifted him

ahead of his Brazilian rival and

McLaren team-mate Ayrton

Senna in the championship,

relaxed and enjoyed it - but

admitted the championship

the best finish of his career.

Capelli, as quick-witted off the

In an atmosphere of unusual

ble defeat Young Goans 1-0.

meet Incredible at 6.30 am.

iser for SUFA.

to emerge as winners.

Rising Stars took the lead in

at the Soor grounds on Friday.

roughing the passer.

Chargers 24, Chiefs 23

Dave Krieg.

49ers 38, Seahawks 7

Pernfors took a 5-4 lead as

games proceeded on serve and the sting went out of Agassi's forehand. A series of groundstroke errors by Agassi gave Pernfors the break for a 6-5 lead. The Swede then served out the match 7-5 on his second match point, winning it with a forehand volley.

"I read his shots a lot better than the last time I played him," said Pernfors, who lost his two previous meetings with Agassi.
"I don't think anyone thought I was going to win and he didn't play with much patience. So there was no pressure on

Agassi said he was hampered by an injury he sustained in the semifinal against John McEn-

"I suffered a pinched nerve or something in my neck and it made it difficult to turn and hit my foreband," Agassi said. "It was a big problem today."

Fatigue Agassi has won seven tournaments, six of them this year. But he conceded fatigue, both mental and physical, may have taken its toll here.

"It's been a hectic year," Agassi said. "It was very draining, mentally and physically."
Pernfors earned \$59,500 and
Agassi received \$29,750.

Clemens takes **Red Sox** past Yankees

NEW YORK, Sept 26, (AP): The Boston Red Sox outplayed their arch-rivals, the New York Yankees, 6-0 yesterday and moved closer to a second American League East title in three years.

Pitcher Roger Clemens gave the Red Sox seven strong innings yesterday and Mike Greenwell and Dwight Evans backed him with homers in New York's Yankee stadium.

The Red Sox lead the secondplace Detroit Tigers by 4 1-2 games entering the final week of the season. Any combination of three Boston victories and Detroit losses will clinch the division for the Red Sox. Tigers 2, Orioles 1

Tigers 7, Orioles 4 Detroit, on the brink of elimination, got a one-hitter from Jack Morris in the opener of a doubleheader and a Grand Slam from Fred Lynn in the ninth of the second game.

Morris, 14-13, struck out just a seventh-inning single to Mickey Tettleton. Luis Salazar's RBI single against Mark Williamson, 5-7, broke a tie in the top of the ninth inning.
In the second, Lynn's 24th

homer of the season and seventh career Grand Slam rallied the Tigers from a 4-3 deficit. Indians 4, Blue Jays 3

Dave Clark's RBI single with two outs in the bottom of the ninth gave Cleveland reliever Scott Bailes his first victory since Aug 16 and snapped the Indians four-game losing streak.

Results American League

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6	New York
2	Baltimore
7	Baltimore
4	Oakland
4	Toronto
6	California
tion	al League
2	Los Angeles
2	Atlanta
	St Louis
	2 7 4 4 6 8 6

remained more closely within

Senna's grasp with just three

races to go.
"I said I had lost it in Belgium," said Prost "and I still think that way. But if my car is as

perfect as it was today then I have

a chance in the next three races.

The twice former world cham-

pion's win was the 33rd of his

career and his third in five years

at Estoril, a circuit he clearly

enjoys although he prefers not to

"It is not a special circuit for

me. It is difficult to overtake and

if I have to drive as I did to pass

Senna to win races and the cham-

pionship then I am not really

bothered about that either," he

Senna, a victim of his own

nervous tension as much as of

Prost's blatant attempts to psy-

che him, finished sixth and after a

run of six wins and two seconds

in eight races has collected only

Who knows what can happen?"

Border criticizes **Australian** fielding

FAISALABAD, Pakistan, Sept 26 (Reuter): Last Tuesday Allan Border was an unhappy man.

Pakistan had just hammered Australia by an innings and 188 runs in their first Test and his team was threatening to go home over what they saw as an unfair pitch and partisan umpiring. A week later the Australian

captain still has a thing or two on his mind, but the Pakistani umpires and the wicket are not among them. Standard

"It's a lot easier to umpire in this Test because of the pitch," he said on the rest day of the second Test at Faisalabad. "The standard of the wicket is much bet-

Australia even have a five-run first innings lead to take into the fourth day, thanks to Border's magnificent unbeaten 113 yester-

"There's still a lot of cricket lest in this game and if we bowl anywhere like in the first innings and hang on to a few catches, anything could happen," he said. But Border is far from satisfied

with the performance of his team and has been reading the riot act about their fielding.
"You can't go through two

Tests dropping 10 catches, and the majority of them were easy," he furned. "It's just not up to scratch." Australia's fielding is nor-mally superb and played a crucial role in their limited-overs World

Cup win last year.
But it deserted them at Karachi and at Faisalabad fast bowler Bruce Reid was left pounding the turf in frustration after three catches went begging in the slips.

Pakistan were allowed to claw from 25 for four to 316 all out. 'Our bowlers did a superb job, but they were let down by the fielders," Border said.

"There was a discussion at the end of the second day's play

Border: happler

about the need to come to terms with what is required of a Test cricketer and everyone is expected to go away and have a good long think about their role in the Australian cricket team."

"Maybe we are a little bit down after Karachi, maybe this is a factor," Border said. The Australian captain was particularly concerned about the confidence of two players.

All-rounder Steve Waugh has scored nought, 13 and one in his three innings so far and debutant wicketkeeper Ian Healy, despite some valuable batting, has let slip several chances.

"We know we're playing a bit more like we can, but we still have

a 10 per cent improvement (in us), maybe more," he said. On top of what happened in Karachi, it's good to see us

bounce back like we have over the past three days, even though we are nowhere near our top form," Border said.

Dropped Pakistani counterpart Javed Miandad also has a missed chance to lament, a dropped catch by wicketkeeper Saleem Yousaf when Australia were 257 for eight, 64 short of their final

"We should have ended with a lead of 50 to 100 runs by the end of the day's play," he said. "A further addition of 250 on the fourth day would have left Australia 350 to win.

"But it seems now we have to start from scratch." Scores: Pakistan 316, Australia 321.

Real outclass Betis

MADRID, Sept 26, (Reuter): The magic of Real Madrid came flowing back yesterday as they notched up their first League win of the season with a ?-0 victory over Betis in Seville.

Mexican striker Hugo Sanchez scored twice as Real, buoyed by a midweek win over archrivals Barcelona in Spain's Supercup, overran Betis in the second half. Betis attacked strongly in the

first 45 minutes but ran up defence solidly marshalled by West German midfielder Bernd In the 64th minute midfielder

Martin Vazquez broke on the left, rounded two defenders and dropped a looping cross over the penalty spot for Sanchez to head home past Argentine World Cup goalkeeper Nery Pumpido. Head

Ten minutes later a lightning chip by Emilio Butragueno left Sanchez clear to head down and volley a second.

Howard Kendall's Athletic Bilbao stayed top of the League but were held to a 1-1 draw against newly-promoted Malaga after a last-minute penalty by Danish midfielder Jon Lauridsen, the first goal Athletic have conceded this season.

Athletic had taken the lead in the 57th minute with a header by striker Pedro Uralde from a lofted cross by 19-year-old winger Ricardo Mendiguren. Johann Cruyff's Barcelona.

becalmed after a flying start with two wins in two games, could

After 13 rounds of the 16-race

But as the drivers may count

championship, Prost leads with 81 points ahead of Senna with 76.

only their 11 best results at the

end of the season, the Brazilian

still retains a very slight advan-

tage. He has scored points in only 10

races and could, with a victory in

next Sunday's Spanish Grand Prix, add a further nine points to

Improve

11 races already and can only

improve his total by three points

with a victory as he would have to

drop a second-place finish from

The result of this complicated

scoring system is that Prost has

to keep winning to lift the cham-

pionship but Senna, providing he

finishes ahead of Prost, could

regain the initiative by finishing

Prost, however, has scored in

one point in the last two.

Senna under strain, Prost back on top

only draw 1-1 against Osasuna, who inflicted similar frustration

Stuck in the doldrums after drawing away to Valencia last Sunday and losing to Real in midweek, Barcelona looked dull in the first half, prompting Cruyff to bring on England striker Gary Lineker at half time for a disappointing first outing after his recovery from hepatitis.

on Real two weeks ago.

Pre-season game

matches at 1.10 pm.

HOUSTON, Sept. 26, (UPI). Bernie Federko scored two unassisted goals last night, leading the Blues to a 3-1. NHL pre-season victory over the Detroit Red Wings. St. Louis, 3-1, has defeated Detroit three times in the pre-season the Red Wings' record fell to 0-6-1 in the Dre-season.

PSV triumph

AMSTERDAM, Sept 26. (Reuter): PSV Eindhoven continued their impressive defence of the Dutch Soccer League title by beating Veendam 3-1 yesterday.

Sporting win

LISBON, Sept 26, (Reuter): Sporting of Lisbon nosed out Setubal 4-3 in an exciting home match to take Portuguese First Division soccer lead yesterday with 10 points from six matches

RESULTS of the Regency Palac Bridge Club games held on Sunday."

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1. Adel Bayounti & Sherin Basyounti
2. Magdi Mesdari & Gregory Latilir
3. Peter Harris & Abdullatif Dunit

E/W 1. Narendra Shah & Khurshid Zaberi 2. Harrison & Nash 3. Fand & Adham Results of the Messilah Ladies Bridge Clob games held on Saturday

morning:

1. Nahil Akel & Frederique Aslar

2. Nids Khulaf & Johnette Chiles

3. Fatinn Abeljohain & Janice Chiles
Results of the Sheraton Bridge Clab

instrathon on Friday.

1. Stanley Drexler & Dhruba Mukerjes

2. Gaffar & Johnny

3. Magdi Mendari & Gregory Latala

4. Sherin Busyouni & Adel Bayouni

Results of the SAS Bridge Club game

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Issnes: Sucks Sucks Sucks

played on Sunday: 1. Elly Lammerts & Nicole Iskander 2. Gill Wilde & Disse Fulk



Al Wazzan: gets opportunity to make up points.

27 drivers to take part in Kuwait local rally

By Gail Seery

A TOTAL 27 drivers have entered Friday's local rally, which represents the fourth round of the Kuwait National Driver's and Co-driver's cham-The raily is to be held under the

auspices of a brand new organising committee, and for once will not take place in Maqwa. Instead the route is in the Khuwaisat and Doha areas, and will cover parts of the route for the second and third stages of the International raliv.

Prepared

The main feature of the 14 km stage, which drivers will have to negotiate six times, is a water splash, but the track also includes some pot holes to catch those who have not prepared properly, and some soft sand. There are also two good long straights which drivers will be able to take flat out.

Sadly, Josef Miskulnig who is currently leading the championship will not be competing in either this, or the November rally, and Facz Chihab, in joint second place with Tareq Alyan, has moved to Dubai.

This means that those drivers whose seasons started a little less

Falah, Ahmed Al Helal and Tareq Al Wazzan will have a very real opportunity to make up

driving the tiny and underpowered Daihatsu Charade which does not give him a strong chance

at all times, will once again be

Khaldiya.

Entry list

Tarto Al Alyan/Khalil Ali; Emsand Mubarak/Nasser Al Mussailem; Hossam Al Sayaft/Amjad Qutteineh; Tareq Al Muszan/Khalid Khalifa; Ahmed Abdullah/Doukhi Al Doukhi; Ibrahim Al Moewad/Fouzi Al Khadari; Mubarak Al Omair/Sand Haloush; Noon Al Hassawi; Abdullah Al Hassawi; Khantees Al Khamees/Abdullah Al Hassawi; Khantees Al Khamees/Abdullah Al Husseini/Mahmond-Bakch/Abdullah Al Shuwake/Anwar Sultan; Ahmed Al Shuwake/Anwar Sultan; Ahmed Al Shuwake/Anwar Sultan; Ahmed Al Shuwake/Anwar Sultan; Hassan Karib/Hessim Kartis Ahmed Al Hesal/Fahad Al Hashed; Mohammod Al Hesal/Fahad Al Hashed; Mohammod Al Hesal/Fahad Al Hashed; Mohammod Al HussemifGhazey Al Zafir; Eid Falah/Sader Anhisman; Ali Al Bairami/Mohammed Al Zafir; Ede Fatherstonehaugh/Kennoth Speak; Al Bairami/Mohammed Al Zaid; Lester Featherstonehaugh/Kenneth Speak; Ahmed Al Mulla/Ibrahim Mohammed Zaid; Ahmed Al Nasser/Mohammed Zaid; Abdullah Mohammed/Abdulaziz, Al Zaid; Saad Al Shammari/Ahmed Al Ahmed Peter Friestnegger/Gelige Raid; Sarkis Sourjian/Andre Sourjian Moor Muhsen/Khader Saich.

Dar Al-Seyassai

victory. (Reuter wirephoto)

Prost holds the winner's trophy — a racing car in crystal — after his

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his total.

his scorecard.

second in Spain.

well than they would have hoped — Mohammed Al Husseini, Eid points. Ahmed Al Zafiri, who has to be reckoned a formidable driver

of taking first place.

The rally starts at 8.30 am on Friday, outside the KT Club in

Entry list